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Foreword

In this year following the greatest war in man's history, the current of life is boiling over rapids of unrest and fear. May this book provide a pool of quiet filled with happy memories of carefree school days. With this hope we present Tchogeerrah in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-six.

Dedication

The senior class of 1946 dedicates this Tchogeerrah to Mr. Gordon. In the past three years, as our Superintendent he has taught us the true value of good citizenship, and has helped to prepare us for the tasks which lie ahead of us.

In Memoriam

BOB BECKER

"Typical high school boy, laughable, lovable, full of fun . . . always to remain in the hearts of his schoolmates."

Born . . . December 21, 1930

Died . . . January 26, 1946

In Memoriam

LOUIS SCHIEWE

"A will to live, a courageous fighting spirit, a flickering light in a dark hour, an enduring memory."

Born . . . . August 4, 1931

Died . . . January 10, 1946

First Row: Rosa Lena Bauman, Maxine Puerner, Betty Finger, Miss Armstrong, Ruth Schumacher, Mary Aspinwall, Jim Mahon.

Second Row: Margaret Baird, Charlotte Wagenkneckt, Mary Sievert, Cynthia Wiedemann, Jim Spaeth, Sue Toussaint, Ann Dexheimer, Phyllis Vosburg, Deborah Jones, Shirley Behl, Carmene Pew, Bill Dollase, Jo Anne Reuter.

Third Row: Raymond Ganser, Jim Baird, Jim Mepham, John Venning, Milo Jones.

TCHOGEERRAH STAFF

Co-editors . . . . Ruth Schumacher, Betty Jane Finger
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Velgen Du Mond
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Shirley Behl
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Carol Liddle

Elaine Schiferl
Joyce Scott
Joan Radtke
Mary Wahl
Mary Klement
Mary Klitzkie

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Gladys Hanson
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Sue Dickerman
Shirley Finn
Cynthia Wiedemann

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Junior . . . . . Sue Toussaint
Sophomore . . . . . Deborah Jones
Freshman . . . . . Alan Klitzkie
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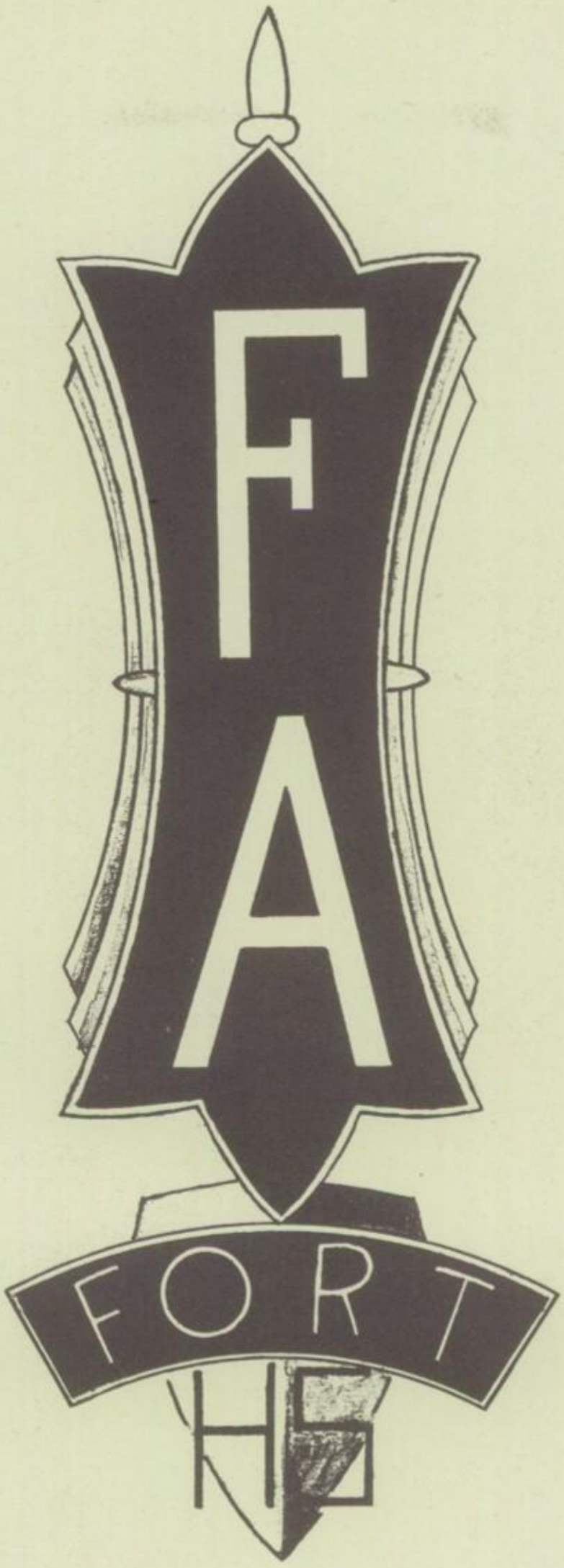
SCHOOL BOARD

Standing, left to right: Edward Jones, Lyman Jeffords, Winfred Gordon, and Stanley Schaeffer.
Seated: William Rogers and Everett Hein.



ADMINISTRATION

MR. GORDON

Smiling and cheerful, Mr. Gordon has been the friend of many of the Fort Atkinson High School Students during his stay here the last three years as the Superintendent of Schools.

Mr. Gordon attended the University of Wisconsin, and also the University of Chicago, coming here in 1943.

Always ready with a helpful solution to any problem that is presented to him, he seems to understand his students, and is as willing to help them along when they come to trouble, as he is to set them on the right track when they do go wrong. These things, coupled with his fine democratic spirit, have won for him many friends out of school as well as in.

GEORGIA McGOWAN

One of the best friends any student of the school could possibly have is Georgia McGowan, Mr. Gordon's secretary. Whenever something is wanted or lost, Georgia's office in the Junior High school is the first place it is looked for. Although she is not very much older in years than the majority of us, she has developed in the three years as school secretary a sense of diplomacy that many can rightfully envy.

Georgia is a home town girl and was graduated from Fort High in 1943. Since then she has worked as school secretary and has done a swell job.

MR. BEACH

With our schools for 25 years, Mr. Beach is now the Principal of both the Senior High and Junior High Schools. Because of his wide interest in everything concerning school, he is the friend of both teachers and students. He gets his greatest enjoyment out of watching all phases of development of the student, particularly the mental growth, and observing how well they take care of their responsibilities. It gives him a great deal of satisfaction to see the youth of today looking forward to their future.

TEACHERS

ANHALT, STUART

Attended: Jefferson High School.

Home Town: Jefferson, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Orchestra, Band.

ARMSTRONG, AUDREY

Attended: Milwaukee-Downer College.

Home Town: Beloit, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Sophomore and Senior English, Tchogeerrah and Bulletin Board Adviser.

ANDERSON, KATHERINE

Attended: River Falls State Teachers College.

Home Town: Osceola, Wisconsin.

Teaches: 7th and 8th grade English, 7th grade spelling and Health, 7th grade Dramatic Coach.

BROWN, LAVINA

Attended: La Crosse; University of Wisconsin.

Home Town: Ashland, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Physical Education. G.A.A. adviser, Cheer Leaders.

CONVERSE, LOUISE

Attended: Oberlin, Ohio; University of Wisconsin.

Home Town: Fort Atkinson Wisconsin.

Teaches: Junior and Senior English, School Librarian, Class Play Coach.

DONKLE, MARIE

Attended: Stout Institute.

Home Town: Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin

Teaches: Home Economics, Redskin Adviser.

FISH, BARBARA

Attended: University of Wisconsin.

Home Town: Madison, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Art.

GRAPER, LAURA

Attended: University of Wisconsin.

Home Town: Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Latin and Spanish, Senior English, Class Play Coach.

TEACHERS

HAFERMAN, CARL

Attended: Mayville Normal School; Milwaukee State; Whitewater.

Home Town: West Bend, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Citizenship, Mathematics, 7th and 8th grade spelling and English.

HUNSADER, ROLAND

Attended: River Falls State Teachers College.

Home Town: Algoma, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Physics, Chemistry.

JONES, GWENDOLYN

Attended: Carroll College.

Home Town: Waukesha, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Biology, Junior Class Adviser.

LEA, MARGARET

Attended: St. Olaf College.

Home Town: Waterville, Iowa.

Teaches: American History, Director of Choir and Glee Club.

MAY, LOLA

Attended: Milwaukee State Teachers College.

Home Town: Kenosha, Wisconsin.

Teaches: World History, Social Economics, Debate, Forensics, Sophomore Class Adviser.

PARKER, VIRGINIA

Attended: Whitewater State Teachers College.

Home Town: Troy Center, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Bookkeeping, Typing, Senior Class Adviser.

PERKINS, FORREST

Attended: Platteville Teachers College.

Home Town: Dodgeville, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Physical Education.

POWELL, BESSIE

Attended: Superior State Teachers College.

Home Town: Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin.

Teaches: 7th and 8th grade Arithmetic.

MORE TEACHERS

ROSS, MERILL

Attended: University of Wisconsin.

Home Town: Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Agriculture, F.F.A. adviser.

SEWARD, BERTHA

Attended: Oshkosh Teachers College.

Home Town: Beaver Dam, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Stenography, Typing.

SHAW, BEATRICE

Attended: Eau Claire State Teachers College.

Home Town: Eau Claire Wisconsin.

Teaches: 7th and 8th grade Social Science, 7th grade Spelling.

SUNDT, ARTHUR

Attended: Oshkosh State Teachers College.

Home Town: Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Manual Training, Assistant Principal of Junior High School, Assistant Football Coach.

TOMMERSON, JEAN

Attended: La Crosse State Teachers College.

Home Town: La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Teaches: General Science, Junior Business, Freshman Class Adviser.

WAGNER, LAURA

Attended: Beloit College.

Home Town: Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Geometry, Advanced Mathematics.

WERTHEIMER, MARY

Attended: Milwaukee-Downer College; University of Wisconsin.

Home Town: Watertown, Wisconsin.

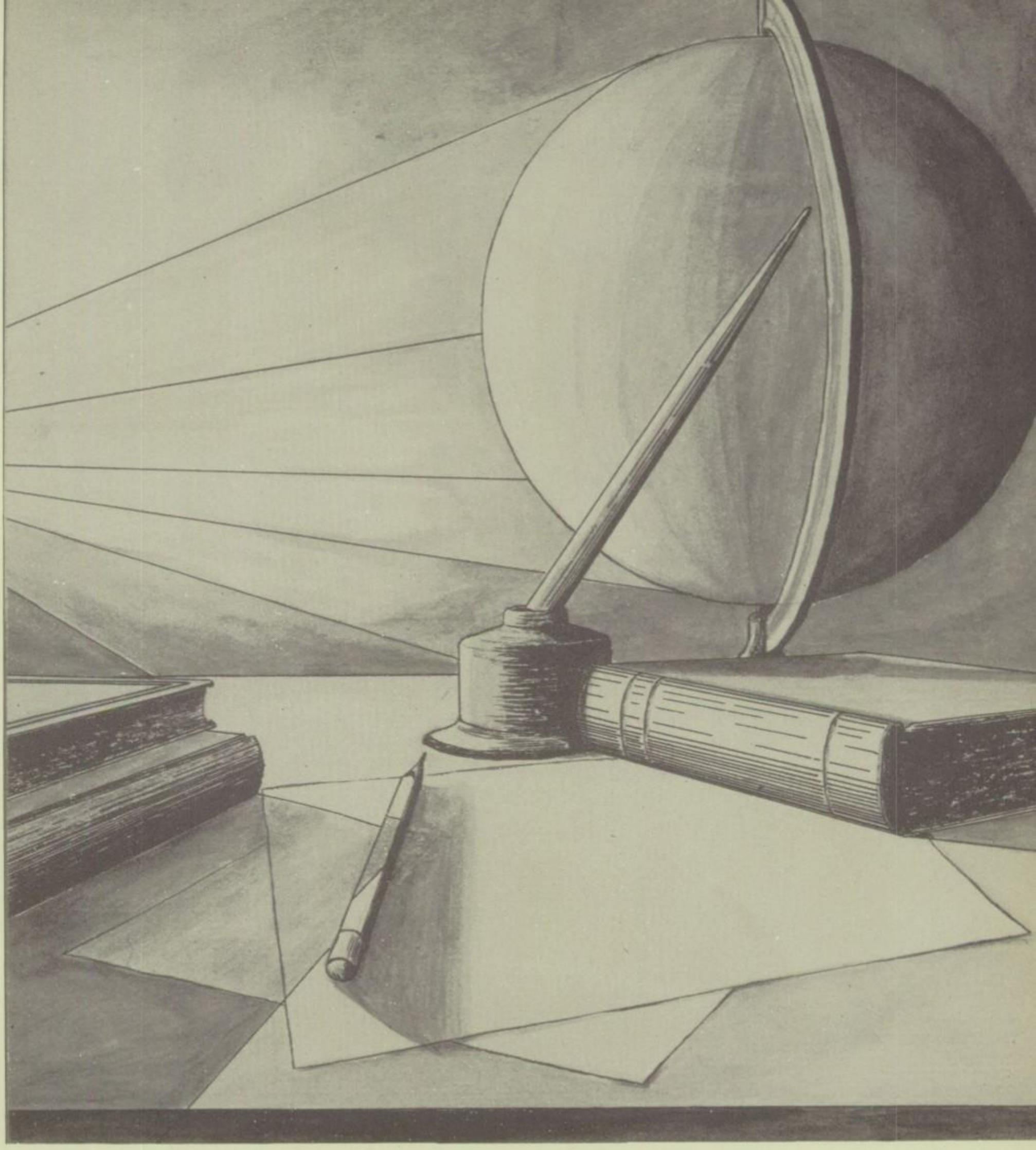
Teaches: Freshman English, Dramatic Coach.

WILLIAMS, ROBERT

Attended: Platteville State Teachers College.

Home Town: Livingston, Wisconsin.

Teaches: Algebra, General Mathematics, Assistant Senior Class Adviser.



CLASSES

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

MRS. PARKER

The senior class of this year has progressed through as varied a history as can be found. As freshmen they had Mr. Jack Burke as adviser and saw to it that their life was as full of fun as they could provide for. They took an active part in all the general school activities and provided floats for the Homecoming and Fall Festival parades. The sophomore year comprised a very, very busy one getting settled in a new building, getting acquainted with the teachers, and above all new codes of behavior. Miss Meyer was the class adviser that year.

As Juniors they handled the prom with the same alacrity and ease they had shown before. With a successful Junior Luncheon and a unique prom behind them, they set forth on their senior year.

The class of 1946 consisted of 102 pupils when school began in September. After losing five of our "men" to the navy and two to the army, we feel a little at a loss, but were fortunate in getting a veteran to replace at least one of those we lost.

On September 28, the seniors held a dance at the high school following the Fort vs. Reedsburg game. Decorations included red and white streamers and large red and white footballs signed by the Cardinal team members. There was also a pep meeting given by a group of senior boys who presented music accredited to Coach Perkins. The assembly was thrilled by the music presented by this talented collection of concert musicians.

The float entered in the annual Homecoming parade by the class of '46 received top honors. That negro washer woman (Wally Hubbard) really meant to "Clean up on the opposing team".

Being lucky is really a trait with this graduating class. We had for our adviser, Mrs. Warren Parker. With her advice and Mr. Williams helpful assistance how could a class fail to gain recognition! Seems like the two of them were always doing something in an attempt to increase our bank account. Then of course, we can't forget the job of those class officers. They also had a big job on their hands. LaVerne Klietz, that noted speaker, gave up his time to being the president of our beloved class, with Ruth Schumacher giving splendid assistance. Gerald Kutz and Melvin May bore the responsibilities of secretary and treasurer.

RUTH SCHUMACHER

SENIOR
SCHOLASTIC HONOR ROLL

Sievert, Mary
Schumacher, Ruth
Venning, John
Aspinwall, Mary Ann
Hartel, Shirley
Bauman, Rosa Lena
Owen, Leo
Vosburg, Phyllis
Allen, Margaret
Baird, Margaret
Christie, Ralph
Dexheimer, Ann
Puerner, Maxine
Anderson, Marion
Finger, Betty Jane
Diedrich, Rosemary
Koestler, Florence
Schloesser, Mary Lou
May, Melvin
Mepham, James
Schiferl, Charles
Kutz, Gerald
May, Janet
Mode, Harold
Whitford, Dorothy
Hartman, Robert
Scherwitz, Ruth

ALLEN, MARGARET
"Marg"

College Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Airplane Club 1; Art Club 2; Prom Committee 3; Jr. Luncheon Committee 3; Jr. Red Cross Committee 4; Legion Essay Award 3; History Club 3.

AMENT, ARLYN
"Speed"

Transferred from Milwaukee High School. Commercial Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Senior Secretary 4.

ANDERSON, EVELYN
"Evie"

English-Scientific Course—Scribbler 1; Art 1, 2; Prom Committee 3.

ANDERSON, MARION

Commercial Course.

ASPINWALL, MARY ANN
"Mi-Mi"

College Course—Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Stamp Sales Chairman 4; Annual 2; Bus. Mgr. 4; Airplane Club 1; Band 1, 2; Jr. Prom Committee 3; Class Play 4; Cardinal Bulletin Board 3; Scribbler 1; Student Council 1; Music Festival 3, 4; Tri-city Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3; Legion Essay Hon. Mention 1, 2; Forensics 1.

BAIRD, MARGARET
"Peg"

College Course—Glee Club 1, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4 (Board 3, 4, Secretary-Treas. 4); Art 2; Prom Committee 3; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4; Junior Luncheon 3; Junior Red Cross Committee 4; Debate 4 (Vice-Pres.); Forensics 4; Science Club 3; History Honor Student 3; History Club 4.

BAUMAN, ROSA LENA
"Rosie"

English-Scientific Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3 Pres. 4; Choir 2, 3 Vice-Pres. 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Class Vice-Pres. 3; Scribbler 1; Forensics 1; Ensemble 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Mass Choir 4; Jr. Luncheon 3; Annual Staff 4; Tri-city Festival 3, 4; Science Club 3.

BEGUIN, MILDRED
"Milly"

Commercial Course.

BENSON, VERNON

English Course—F.F.A. Basketball; Class Play 4; Intramurals.

BROWN, KATHRYN
"Katie"

Commercial Course—Scribbler 1; Glee Club 1; Forensics 1; G.A.A. 2, 3; Candy Club 2; Choir 3; Press Club 3; Senior Secretary 4; Annual 3, 4; Music Festival 3.

CARMICHAEL, AGNES
"Aggie"

College Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Board 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4 Secretary 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Choir 3; Prom Committee 3; Scribbler 1; D-amatics 1; Class Play 4; Student Council 1; Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheer Leader 2, 3, 4; History Club 3 President 3.

CHAPMAN, BERNADINE
"Berna"

College Course—Student Council 1; Forensics 1; Glee Club 2, 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Fall Festival 2; Correspondence Club 2; Prom Committee 3; Tri-city Festival 3; Jr. Luncheon 3; Redskins 3, 4.

CHAPMAN, DONALD
"Don"

College Course—Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-city Concert 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1.

CHRISTIE, RALPH
"Chris"

College Course—Band 1, 2, 3; Forensics 1; F.F.A. 1, 2 Treas. 2; Airplane Club; Tri City Festival 2, 3; Intramurals 4.

CLOUTE, JAMES
"Jay"

English Course—Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

COVEY, DOROTHY
"Dottie Belle"

Commercial Course—G.A.A. 2, 4; Glee Club 1; Chorus 2, 3; Senior Secretary 4.

DAHMS, WILLIAM
"Will"

College Course—Forensics 1; Scribbler 1; Airplane Club 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 4; Prom Committee 3; Debate 4; Class Play 4.

DE FOREST, JUNE
"Peewee"

Commercial Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Correspondence Club 1.

DEXHEIMER, ANN
"Onnie"

College Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4; Class Treas. 1; Forensics 1; Annual 3, 4; Art Club 1, 2; Jr. Luncheon Committee 3.

DIEDRICH, ROSEMARY
"Rosie"

College Course — Student Council 1; Airplane Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Redskins 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Luncheon Committee 3; Prom Committee 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4; Forensics 1, 2, 4; Science Club 3; History Club 3.

ECKLEY, MARLYS
"Marly"

College Course—Choir 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Annual 4; Prom Committee 3; History Club 3.

EMERICK, ROBERT
"Tex"

English Course—Model Airplane Club 1, 2; Prom Committee 3; Band 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Intramurals 4.

FINGER, BETTY JANE
"Lizard"

College Course—Scribbler Editor 1; Student Council 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Club 1, 2; Annual Co-ed 4; Staff 2, 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Ensemble 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Jr. Luncheon Committee 3; Forensics 1, 3, 4; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Festival Choir 4; Tri-city Festival 3, 4; Press Club 3, 4; Legion Essay Award 1; Float Committee 2, 3, 4.

FINN, SHIRLEY

English Course — Scribbler Club 1; Annual 3, 4; Art Club 1; Glee Club 1.

FLECK, DOROTHY

Commercial Course—Senior Secretary 4.

FRY, WALLACE
"Wally"

English Course—

GANSER, WILLIAM

Scientific Course—Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Basketball 3; "F" Club 4; Student Council 1; Airplane Club 1; Class Play 4.

GANSER, RAYMOND
"Gunga"

College Course—Intramurals 1; Model Airplane Club 1; Annual Staff- 4; Prom Committee 3; Class Play 4.

GIESE, JUDSON
"Judd"

English Course—Football 1; Forensics 1, 4; Scribbler 1; Intramurals 1, 2; Class President 3; Art Club 1, 2, 3.

GOODRICH, JAMES
"Max"

College-Scientific Course—Scribbler 1; Forensics 1; Annual Staff 2; Golf 3, 4; Intramurals 2.

GOTTSCHALK, DONALD
"Gottsch"

Agriculture Course—F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Movie Projector Club 2; F.F.A. Fall Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. softball 2, 3.

GRADY, LAWRENCE
"Larry"

College Course — Student Council 1; Basketball 3, 4; "F" Club 4; Baseball Mgr. 2, 3; Football Mgr. 4; Debate President 4; Class Play 4; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Scribbler 1; Press Club 2, 3; Annual Staff; Coast Guard 1946.

GROSS, HARRIET
"Hattie"

English-Commercial Course—Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Ensemble 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Tri-City Festival 2, 3.

GUNTZBURGER, ROBERT
"BOB"

English Course—Football 2, 3, 4; "F" Club 4; Intramurals, A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Student Council 1.

HAFERMAN, CLAUDE

English Course—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; "F" Club 3, 4.

HARTEL, SHIRLEY
"Shirl"

English Course—Redskins 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, Senior Secretary 4; Student Council 1, Music Festival 3; Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3.

HARTMAN, ROBERT
"Stoop"

Scientific Course—Track 3, 4; Student Council 1; Annual Staff 2; Airplane Club 1; Class Play 4; Prom Committee 3; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Scribbler 1.

HENSEY, JAMES
"Jim"

English Course—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Track 3, Captain 4; A Cappella Choir Treasurer 4; "F" Club 2, 3, 4; V.F.W. Essay Award 3; Band 1; Prom Committee 3; Intramural Kittenball 1; Intramural Basketball Champs 1; Conference Champion Relay Team 3.

HINKEL, MARGARET
"Marg"

Commercial Couse—Student Council 1; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Correspondence Club 2; A Cappella Choir 3; Glee Club 3; Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Fall Festival 3.

HUBBARD, WALTER
"Wally"

English Course—Football 4; Basketball Mgr. 4; "F" Club 4; U. S. Navy 1946.

HYDE, MARGARET

English—Commercial Course —Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2. 3, 4; Ensemble 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Tri-City Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Secretary 4.

JAECKEL, LUELLA

"El"

English Couse—Glee Club 3; A Cappella Choir 3.

JUNG, RALPH

"Smootch"

Agriculture Course — "F" Club 3, 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Baseball 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Intramurral Basketball 4.

JUSTUS, JAMES

"Jim"

English Course—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3 , 4, Captain 3; Prom King 3, A Cappella Choir Pesident 4; "F" Club 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3; Conference Champion Relay Team 3.

KLIETZ, LAVERNE

English Course — Forensics; A Cappella Choir 2, 3; Class President 4.

KOESTLER, FLORENCE

"Flossy"

Commercial Course—Senior Secretary 4; Candy Club 2.

KRAUSE, KENNETH

Commercial Course — Football 2, 4; "F" Club 4; Intramurals 1, 4.

KRAUS, JEANETTE

"Honey"

Commercial Course — Knitting Club 1, 2; Junior Red Cross Club 2; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Music Festival 3.

KRAUSS, PATRICIA
"Pat"

College Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Class President 1; Student Council 1; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Prom Committee 3; Annual Staff 4; Tri-City Festival 3, 4.

KUTZ, GERALD
"Jerry"

English — Scientific Course —Forensics 1; Intramurals 1; Kutz's Allstars 3; Festival Choir 4; Football 3, 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 3, 4, Captain 4; "F" Club 3; Class Secretary 4; Boys' Choir 2; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4.

LANE, BETTY
"Lee"

Commercial Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Correspondence Club 2, Glee Club 1 Prom Committee 3.

LENTZ, THOMAS
"Tom"

English Course—Basketball 3, 4; Football 3.
4; U. S. Navy 1946.

LEZOTTE, DONNA

English Course—

LIPPERER, GLADYS

English Course—Candy Club 2.

LUDTKE, FRED
"Fritz"

English Course—"F" Club 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; Football 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 2, 3; Basketball 4. U. S. Navy 1946.

LUEDTKE, WILLIAM

Scientific Course—

LUDWICK, JEAN

"Luddy"

Commercial Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4 Scribbler 1; Annual Staff 2, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3.

MAY, JANET

College Course — Student Council 1; Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Art Club 2; Redskins 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Class Play 4; History Club 4; Tri-City Festival 3, 4.

MAY MELVIN

"Mel"

English Course—Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; "F" Club 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Chorus 1, 2; Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Festival Choir 4; Class Treasurer 4; Boxing Club 1; Student Council 1; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; F.F.A. Quartet 1, 2, 3; F.F.A. Speaking Contest 3 Conference Champion Relay Team 3.

MEPHAM, JAMES

"Jim"

Scientific Course — Annual Staff 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 4; Model Airplane Club 1.

MISSFELDT, JOANNE

English Course—A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Forensics 1; Senior Secretary 4; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Prom Committee 3.

MODE, HAROLD

English Course — Airplane Club 1; U. S. Navy 1946.

MUELLER, MELVIN

English Course—Intramurals Kittenball 1, 4; Intramurals Basketball 4.

NEMITZ, DORIS

"Dewey"

College Course — Scribbler 1 Student Council 1; Forensic 1; Glee Club 1, 3,; A Cappella Choir 4; Co-chairman Junior Prom Committee 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; American Ledion Essay Award.

ORCUTT, MARGUERITE
"Peggy"

English Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4.

OWEN, LEO

Transferred from Kenosha.

Scientific Course—Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Tri-City Festival 2, 3, 4.

PEW, CARMENE
"Blondie"

Transferred from Mankota, Minnesota.

Commercial Course—A Cappella Choir 2; Art Club 2; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4; Press Club 2, 3, 4; Forensics 4; Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; G. A.A. 3, 4; Fall Festivall 4.

PIERCE, JEAN
"Shorty"

Commercial Course—Sewing Club 2.

PIERCE, JUNE

English Course—

PUERNER, MAXINE
"Mac"

Commercial Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1; Student Council 1; Scribbler 1; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Senior Secretary 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3.

REUTERSKOILD, JAMES
"Jim"

English Course—Intramural Kittenball 1.

RIEDEL, ARCHIE
"Arch"

Transferred from Prentice.

Commercial Course — Boys' Chorus 1; Basketball 1.

ROBISH, LOIS
"Loie"

Commercial Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Correspondence Club 2; Student Council 1; Senior Secretary 4; Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3.

ROLOFF, ELVA

English Course—

ROLOFF, WILLIAM
"Bill"

English Course—Football.

RUMARY, JAMES
"Ramrod"

English Course—Scibbler 1; Intramural Softball 1; Student Council 1; Woodworking Club 1; Football Mgr. 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track Mgr. 2, 3, 4; "F" Club 3, 4; Tennis 4.

SCHERWITZ, RUTH
"Ruthie"

Commercial Course—Candy Club 2.

SCHIFERL, CHARLES
"Isaac"

English-Scientific Course — Model Airplane Club 1.

SCHLOESSER, MARY LOU

College Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4; Glee Club 1; Student Council 1; Junior Luncheon Committee 3.

SCHUMACHER, KATHLEEN

Commercial Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Junior Luncheon Committee 3.

SCHUMACHER, RUTH

"Sugar"

English-Scientific Course — Student Council 1; Scribbler 1; Forensics 1, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Ensemble 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Science Club 3; Vice-President of Class 2; Class Vice-President 4; Annual Staff 1, 2, 3; Co-Editor 4; G.A.A. 2, 3; President 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Festival Choir 4, Debate Treasurer 4; Tri-City Festival 3, 4; History Honor Student 3; D.A.R. Award 4.

SIEVERT, MARY

"Seeweed"

English-Scientific Course— Student Council 1; Scribbler 1; Forensics 1, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Class Secretary 1, A Cappella Choir 3, 4, Vice-Pres. 4; Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Redskins 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Ensemble 3, 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Festival Choir 4; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4; Tri-City Festival 3, 4; Science Club 3.

SHOOK, JEAN

"Jeannie"

English Course — Knitting Club 1, President 2; Junior Luncheon Committee 3.

SMITH, RICHARD

"Dick"

College Course — Student Council 1; Forensics 1; Scribbler 1; Annual Staff 2, 3; Swing Shifters 2; Orchestra 2, 3; Golf 4; Class Play 4; Prom Committee 3; Intramurals 2.

SPAETH, JAMES

"Jim"

College Course — Student Counci 1; Annual Staff 4; Track 3; Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Art Club 1, 2, Forensics.

STANNARD, GENEVIEVE

"Jenny"

Commercial Course—Cheerleaders 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4 Student Council 1; Correspondence Club 2; Prom Queen 3.

STAUDE, NAOMI

"Blondie"

Transferred from Johnson Creek.

English Course—G.A.A. 4; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Glee 3, 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Forensics 3, 4; Press Club Club 3, 4; Tri-City Festival 4, Annual Staff 4.

STRICKLAND, NOLABELLE

"Nook"

Commercial Course — Press Club 3; Annual Staff 3, 4; Choir 3; Senior Secretary 4; Candy Club 2; Tri-City G.A.A. 2, 3; A Cappella Festival 3; Music Festival 3.

TRIELOFF, MARY

English Course—

TRIELOFF, VIOLET

"Penelope"

Commercial Course—Senior Secretary 4; Glee Club 1.

VENNING, JOHN

English-Scientific Course—A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; "F" Club 3, President 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Tri-City Festival 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Play 4; Kutz's All-Stars 3; Jung's All-Stars 4; Festival Choir 4; Music Festival 3, 4; Badminton G.A.A. Champs 2, 3.

VOSBERG, PHYLLIS

"Phil"

College Course — Scribbler 1; Student Council 1; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4; Co-Editor Cardinal Bulletin Board 4; Music Festival 3, 4.

WALSH, JOSEPH

"Joe"

College Course—F.F.A. 1, 2; Student Council 1; Intramurals 1, 2; Baseball 1; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Forensics 2, 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3; Football 3; Tri-City Festival 3; Prom Committee 3; Science Club 3; Boys' Chorus 3; Music Festival 2, 3, 4.

WEBER, ROBERT

"Bob"

English Course—Football 3, 4; "F" Club 4. U. S. Navy 1946.

WEBER, WALLACE

"Pickle"

English Course—Band 1, 2, 3, President 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Model Airplane Club 1; Intramural Basketball 2, 4; Intramural Softball 1; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Swing Shifters 2.

WEIDEMANN, CYNTHIA

"Cyn"

College Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4; Co-Chairman Prom Committee 3; Art Club 1, 2; Forensics 1, Vice-President Student Council 1; Annual Staff 3, 4; Junior Luncheon Committee 3.

WENDORF, ARLENE

"Leanie"

Commercial Course—Senior Secretary 4.

WEST, AILEEN

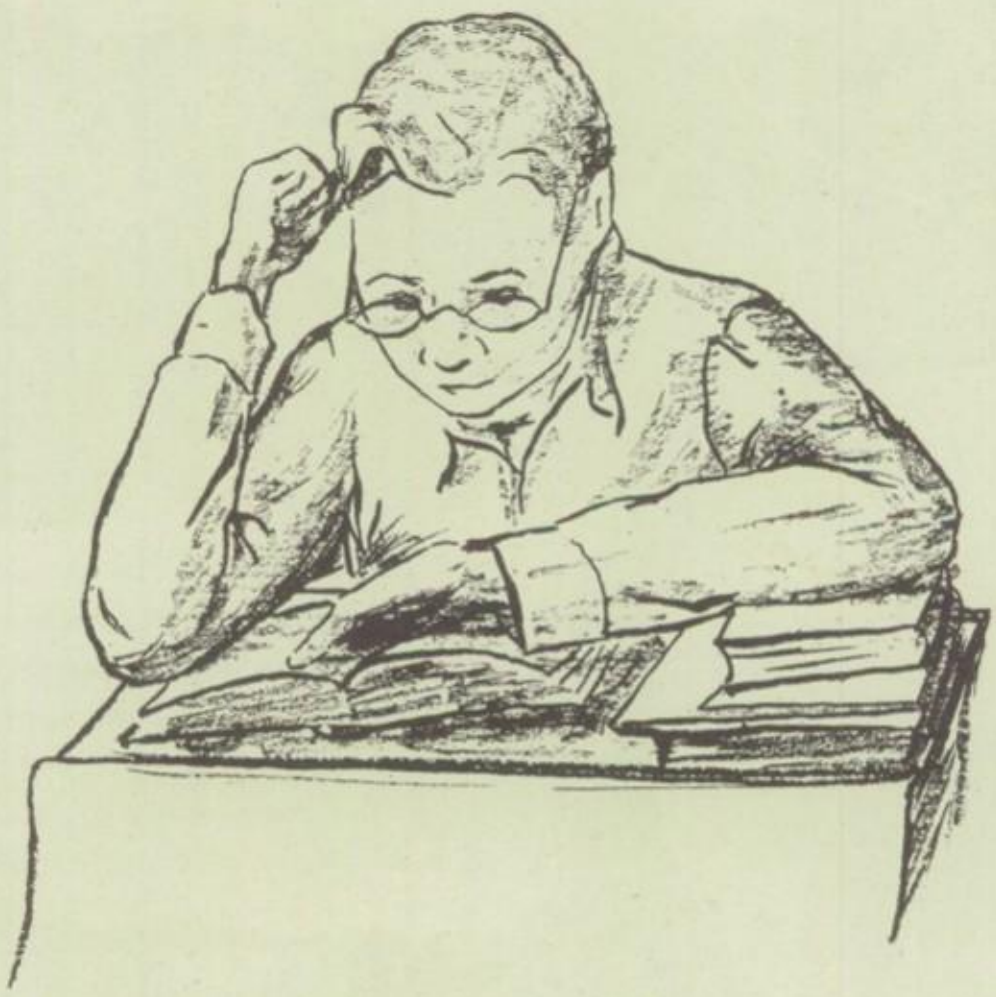
College Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 3; Music Festival 3; Prom Committee 3; Forensics 1, 4; Glee Club 1; Correspondence Club 2; Student Council 1.

WHITFORD, DOROTHY

College Course—G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Redskins 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Forensics 1; Student Council 1; Art Club 1, 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Luncheon Committee 3.

SCHOENNING, JAMES

English Course—



Distinguishing himself as president of the class of '46, La Verne Klietz has become very popular among the members of his class. We are proud of his oratorical abilities, which he has exhibited on numerous occasions in addressing the assembly. He was also active in forensics and choir.

An inherent desire to come thru honestly makes our class secretary, a fine athlete, very popular. Active in A Cappella choir, boys' chorus, and all sports, plus the fact that he was honored with the captaincy in baseball, Jerry Kutz has certainly shown school service and loyalty. We salute a fine athlete who can take it on the chin.

The class's highest scholastic honors could not go to a more deserving person than Mary Sievert. She has been one of the most active persons in the school and she possesses a personality that has won her innumerable friends. She has been an active member in all of the vocal music organizations and a member of G.A.A. Mary also participated in forensics and Redskins.

SPOTLIGHT

As one of the best known and best liked by her classmates, Ruth Schumacher has also proven herself to be one of the most competent girls of the class. She is interested in music and is active in A Cappella Choir, Glee Club, and ensemble. Ruth was one of the strong pillars of the forensics department and has taken an active part in all of her class activities.

Mel May, known to every student of Fort High, has also contributed greatly to the school's athletic activities. Not only was he an outstanding athlete on the gridiron, basketball court, baseball field, and on the cinder track, but he also was a deciding factor in the success of the boys' musical organizations.

The second honors were won by Ruth Schumacher whose claim was exceeded only by her unusual ability for hard work. The spirit of doing more than her share has fortified Ruth's splendid personality. It is this spirit which will make her a success in future life.

First Row: Jean Carmichael, Jim Heth, Shirley Behl, Denny Ankomeus,, Norma Langholff, Harlow Lemke, Shari Mussehl, Norman Hathaway, Pat Edwards, Bob Kohler.

Second Row: Norene Frentzel, Phillip Hagen, Betty Kennedy, Bob Lueder, Marjorie Haferman, Edwin Mehltretter, Beverly Harrison, Donald Keefer, Priscilla Hanson, Jerry Knoepfel, Margaret Knoerr, Bob Bonnett.

Third Row: Bill Humphrey, Florence Kiehnau, Bruce Black, Marion Laatsch, Loren Block, Ann Banker, Jim Fuller, Dorothy Downing, Ronald Gess, Delores Anderson, Jim Allen, Mary Klement, Carl Birk.

JUNIOR

The juniors have survived almost three years of high school. At the beginning of the year we were told by Mr. Beach and Miss Jones, who is our class adviser, to elect our officers for the year. Jim Baird, who is talented in more ways than that of business ability, alone was elected president. He's done a swell job, and our hats off to him! Then that tall, handsome boy, Jim Fuller, was elected to fill the post of vice-president. And we must not forget our money man, Ronald Gess, or that cute, little girl, Shirley Behl, who is our secretary.

The juniors' "coming out" party was held after the Jefferson football game. Another highlight of our dancing career was held after that rousing basketball game with Wisconsin High. Though defeat marked the faces of everyone, it was soon a minor detail at the dance.

A prizeless, not priceless, float that represented the junior class was the wagon in the Homecoming parade.

One of the two main highlights of any junior class is the Junior Luncheon. This year, the class was very lucky in having excellent cooks for mothers, because that food that was brought was, ———— well, all we can say is "Yummy".

First Row: Harlow Lemke, Alma Stannard, Evelyn Winters, Kathryn Brooksbank, Phyllis Hartel, Alice Wertzler, Donald Gore, Vernon Merrifield, Sue Tousant, Mary Wahl, Betty Mehltretter, Thelma Hartwig, Bill Kreklow.

Second Row: Jessie Walters, Ruth Kube, James Shaw, Barbara Sundt, Mary Whidner, Pauline Lemke, Eldon Martin, Leonard Donehauer, Mary Knoerr, Janet Smith, Dorothy Marquardt, Raymond Menzel, Dick Romoser

Third Row: Bob Ohl, Frances Stevens, Gerald Krause, Phyllis Stevens, Marilyn May, Eugene Zechel, Jerry Schlegal, Irene Van Horn, Joanne Krueger, Joanne Taylor, Charlotte Kutz, Jane Aspinwall.

Fourth Row: Jim Schmidt, Bob Wange, Dick Reynolds, Lloyd Klietz, Bill Zenk, Gerald Kutz, Jim Baird, Jerome Patefield, Warren Stannard, Bob Punzel, Jim Yackels, Bob Shaw, Jerry Pfafflin.

CLASS

I guess every junior who will graduate in 1947 will never forget the happy times we've had during our junior year. It certainly was a prosperous year for us, and we'll never forget it.

Beneath a striking ceiling of blue crepe paper, and amid a setting of quaint little fairies and elves, King Denny Ankomeus, with his attractive little queen, Marge Haferman, led the annual promenade. The eight beautiful murals excellently depicted the fairyland theme. Under the capable direction of their adviser, Miss Jones, along with that of their officers, the Junior Class certainly made a success of the most important social event of the year.

A big surprise in the life of every Junior Class, toward the end of the year is the announcement of the two top history students. This year's history students were a well kept secret until that memorable day when no one was more surprised than Mary Wahl and Jane Aspinwall. Mary, who won top honors, is an "A" student, the editor of The Bulletin Board and also takes an active part in A Cappella Choir, and Glee Club as accompanist. Jane, another "A" student, is active in A Cappella Choir, Glee Club, Forensics, band and G.A.A. Sincere congratulations to these two deserving students!

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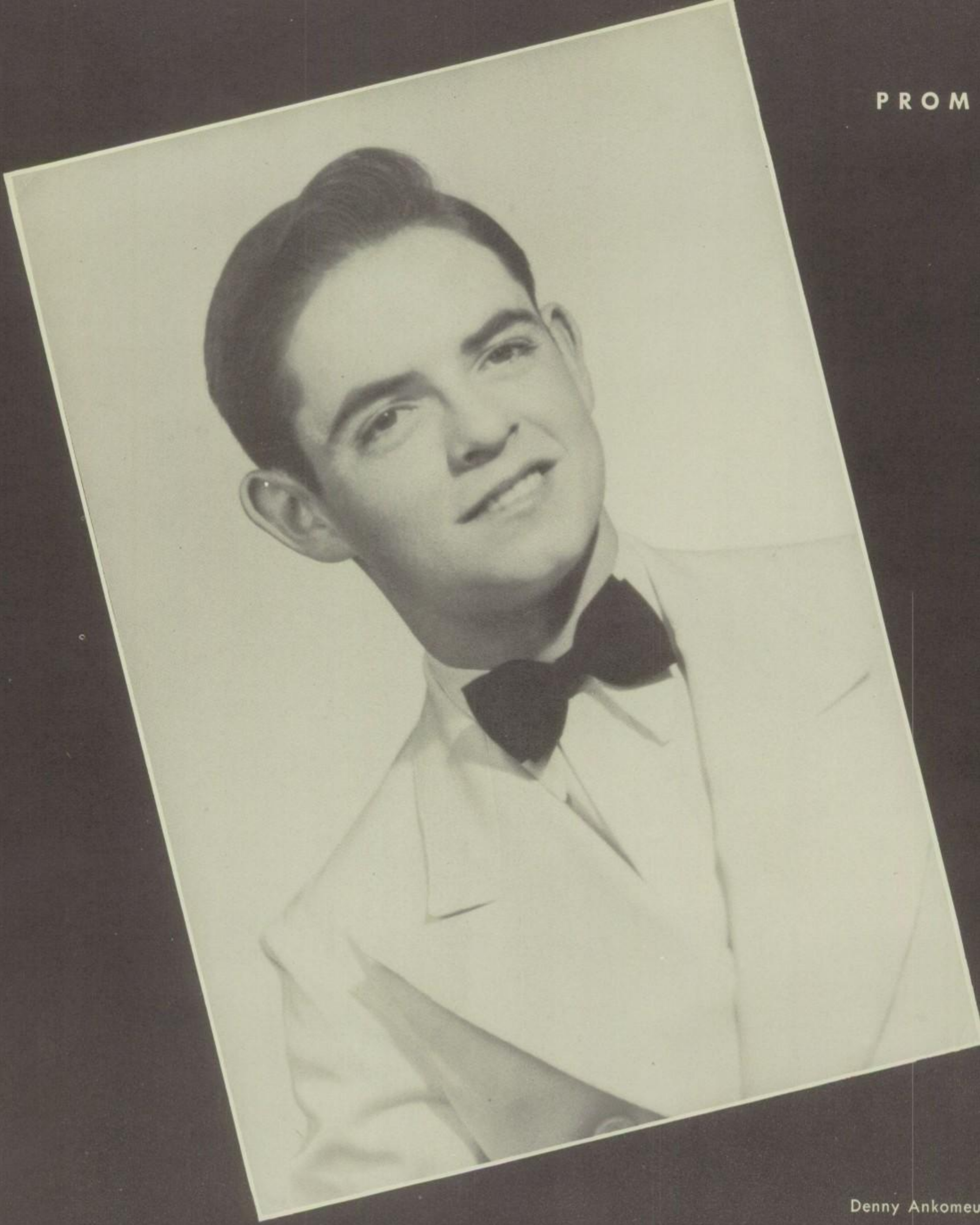

Denny Ankomeu

ROYALTY

Marge Haferman

First Row: Mary Ann Lindle, Mary Ann Draeger, Marion Erdman, Jeannine Austin, Verna Kump, Coleen Cook, Velgene Du Mond, Bill Holmes, Carol Liddle, Bob Wilde, Lorraine Damuth, Dorothy Alexander, Vivian Behm, Elaine Finn, Sue Dickerman.

Second Row: Doreen Ehrke, Harvey Hitch, Glen Boyer, Jean Grafton, David Johnson, Erna Jaeckel, Nora Jean Jones, Miss May, Joanna Haferman, Jim Hebbe, Pat Krening, Harold Baker, Allan Koch, Virginia Hookestead.

Third Row: Ila Mae Finger, Joe Hummel, Joyce Garthwaite, Gladys Hanson, Donn Frey, Omar Hubbard, Kathryn Cowles, Bob Becker, La Verne Amacher, Deborah Jones, Janet Garthwaite, Bob Ehlers, Delores Hanson, Jim Haubenschield.

Fourth Row: Ralph Chapman, Mary Ann Krause, Trela Cole, Milo Jones, Mary Lou Hausz, Jean Goss, Virginia Beahlem, Ronnie Engler, Dick Bauer, Wayne Armstrong, Mary Klitzkie, Janet Bethke, Margaret Goddard, Ronald Cloute, Margie Henry, Marion Jesse, Bill Dollase.

Contrary to the usual opinion that Sophomores are underclassmen, and should stay that way, this year's bunch didn't let anything stand in their way. They started the year by electing Bill Holmes as president; Carol Liddle, vice-president; Bob Wilde, treasurer; and Velgen DuMond as secretary. To help them through the remaining High School years, they chose Miss May as their adviser.

Their first project was to construct a float for the Homecoming parade. After discarding various ideas, and running madly around working on the float, their efforts were rewarded. They received second prize that featured a well cooked Edgerton Goose, being turned, seasoned, and watched by the Fort Chef, Jack Stanton.

Tragedy struck as the New Year turned. The death of Bob Becker is one thing that none of his friends will ever forget. It is a loss that is deep in the minds and hearts of each and every one of us, his class mates. But though he is gone, we will always remember his happy smile, and his gay, carefree whistle.

First Row: Lois Peterson, Juanita Poeppel, Joyce Scott, Marion Rehbaum, Betty Prust, Orma Miles, Kathleen Splies, Josephine Phelps, Gilbert Schultz, Joan Van Acker.

Second Row: Elaine Weggeman, Rodell Olson, Frances Ward, Dick Simons, Shirley Saur, John Stackle, Joan Rueter, Hobart Merrifield, Mary Mc Goon, Walter Schroeder, Donna Madsen.

Third Row: James Messmer, Lois Trimner, Larry Van Acker, Maureen Vaughn, Bob Mittlestadt, Erma Marsden, Bob Prabst, Barbara Walsh, Lyle Schimmick, Marilyn Stuart, Tom Schroeder.

Fourth Row: Anne Stockman, Audrey Wilson, Donna Ralph, Rae Roe, Joan Radtke, Tom Mc Nitt, Kathryn Pautsch, Jack Stanton, Harriet Schroeder, Dean Wendorf, Elaine Schiferl, Joan Schrank.

Fifth Row: Dick Statz, Jim Mahon, Nancy Theno, Wally Wegener, Charlotte Wagenknecht, Armond Puerner, Zella West, Neil Wagner, Vesta Peterson, Harold Steinke, Joan Spaeth, Gene Raddatz.

NEWS

In honor of George Washington's birthday, the Sophomores decorated their dance appropriately with large red cherries on the gymnasium walls, and smaller ones for tickets, and called the affair, "The Cherry Hop".

As a class they have contributed their efforts to the various organizations of the school. They shine in Forensics. Velgen DuMond and Jim Mahon were members of the Debate Team, while Carol Liddle, and Mary Klitzkie represented the Fort Atkinson Sophomores in the League Forensic contest at Watertown.

There are several excellent athletes in the class, as well as some fine cheerleaders, who promise to keep the air ringing for the games and pep meetings.

The class of '48 is an up and coming class, who promise to make something of their future.

First Row: Kathleen Mc Cune, Carol Roberts, Joan Wiley, Laura Lee Staude, Carolyn Land, Kathryn Weckler, Betty Peterson, Marlene Kempf, Vanda Linke, Marjorie Kraus, Dorothy O'Brian, Kathryn Trimner, Ruby Roloff, Miriam Richter.

Second Row: Joan Schemn, Jerry Mason, Janice Stannard, Richard Jacobson, Jean Urban, Holace Reich, Betty Rumary, Teddy Young, Miss Tommerson, Donald Meske, Lois Johnson, La Verne Meske, Beverly Matthews, Larry Wange.

Third Row: Loren Reineck, Margaret Kraus, David Wallace. Bertha Orcutt, Tom Knoll, Kay Koester, Jim Zimmermann, Nelly Larson, Harvey Mueller, Wanda Haferman, Roy Vershure, Delores Zimdars, Alan Klitzkie, Cora Mae Hathaway, Beverly Patefield.

FRESHMAN

The destiny of the Freshman class was guided by Miss Tommerson, as adviser. Her success is apparent in the many and varied activities of the 103 Freshmen. Officers of the class are Albert Krause, president; Keith Draves, vice-president; Paula Cornish, secretary; and Kay Koester, treasurer.

One of the first projects the class undertook was to construct a float for the Homecoming Parade. We selected "Ye Old Slaughter House" for our float with two butchers busily chopping up our opposing team. This proved to be very effective and we won 3rd place amid stiff competition.

In January our class was saddened by the loss of a popular member, Lewis Scheiwe.

A large number of the "forty niners" are athletes promising good teams for the coming years.

This year our pep meetings were led by our own cheerleaders. Those participating were Cormae Hathaway, Janice Stannard, Kathleen Callum, Ramona Fullmer, Kathleen McCune, Paula Cornish, and Barbara Beischel.

First Row: Kathleen Callum, Bob Anderson, Marguarite Guttenburg, Bob Fry, Marion Bickle, Daryl Klug, Elanor Nadig, Bill Eckart, Florence Haberl, Elaine Krause.

Second Row: Betty Edwards, Bob Adams, Bessie Cross Gary Gore, Delores Dollase, Lois Lane, Frank Green, Roxanna Behlke, Bob Aspinwall, Yvonne Eckart, June Markgraff.

Third Row: Paula Cornish, Tom Griffin, Barbara Beischel, Albert Hartel, Pat Kozart, Keith Draves, Irene Draeger, Marilyn Anderson, Harland Anderson, Betty Luedtke, Dean Geldard, Edith Edmundson.

Fourth Row: David Chapman, Ramona Fulmer, Jim Gordon, Darlene Kramer, Bill Gennette, Lois Kraus, Eugene Bemus, Donna Benson, Stanley Dempski, Lorraine Ebbert, Albert Krause, Janet Kutz, Duwane Gilke.

CLASS

A Freshman orchestra was organized this year under the direction of Miss Tommerson. Members include Keith Draves, drums; Albert Hartel, piano; Marilyn Anderson and Dean Geldard, Cornets; Ramona Fullmer, trombone; and Duwayne Gilkey, clarinet. Miriam Richter is well known as the vocalist. Along with the musicians, this is a good place to mention that James Zimmerman is a member of the Senior High School A Cappella Choir.

Several students competed in Forensics. Paula Cornish won second place for a serious declamation and Florence Haberl placed third in the Extemporaneous reading contest.

The outstanding party of the year was a costume party on December 19th. Games were played by everyone. Keith Draves acted as master of Ceremonies and did his specialty number, a Hula-Hula dance. Music was furnished by the Freshman Orchestra. Bill Eckhart and Betty Rumary won the costume prizes.

Roy Vershure handles the journalism in our class. He writes the Freshman Dispatch for the Cardinal Bulletin Board.

Well, that about covers us, we hope to make ourselves a bigger, and better class in the years to come.

B. MEHLTRETTER
E. WINTER
C. KUTZ

3 MUSKETEERS

MAC, THE THINKER

HUBBA HUBBA HUBBA

ALL WET!

"THEIR GOOSE IS COOKED"

OH, WHAT I SAW!

MAKE WAY FOR

THE CLASS OF '48

FUTURE SENIORS??

WHEN IN SPRING
A YOUNG MAN'S FANCY
. . . OH, WELL

SHE WAS A BEAUTIFUL BA

— A. WEST

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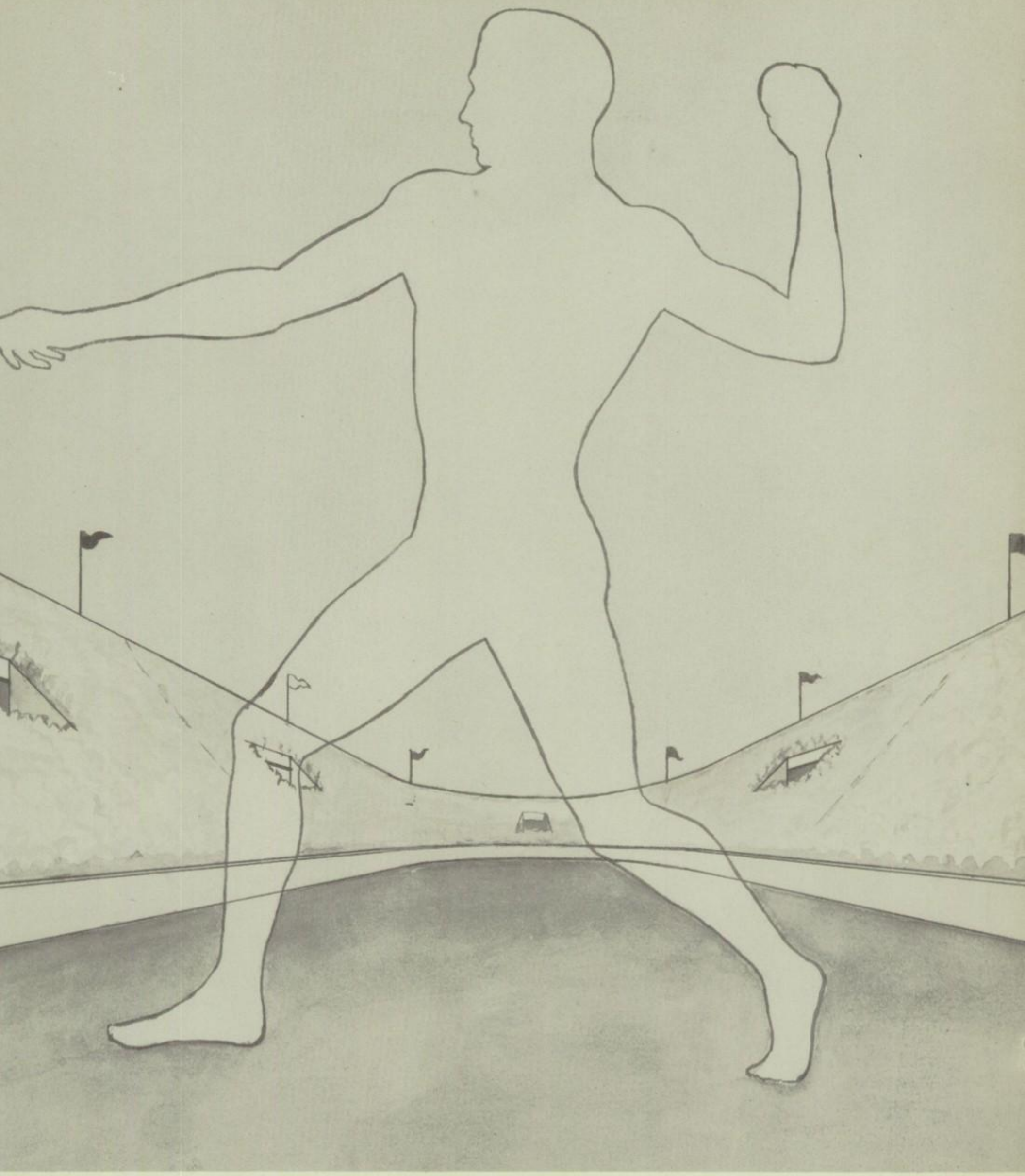
DON'T LOOK NOW, BUT . . .

F — O — R — T, FORT!

"SWAN DIVE" BY B.J



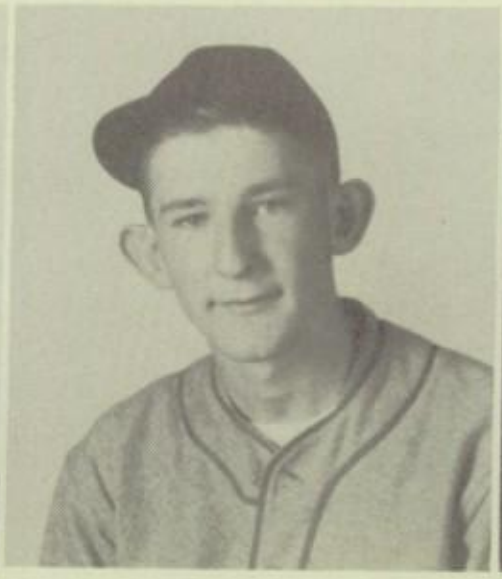
SPORTS

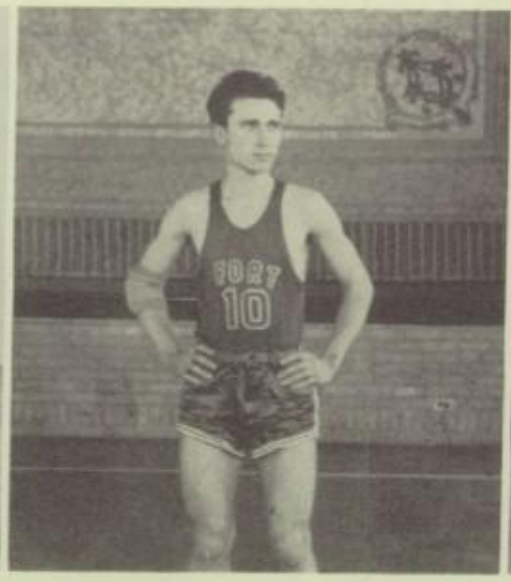
SPORTS . . .

After graduating from Platteville State Teachers College, where he was a star athlete, Forrest Perkins entered the marines. After being over on Guadalcanal, he returned later to take up the position of assistant coach at Lancaster. Last September, he took over the position of head coach at Fort High. His exacting and persistant drills and exercises produced winning

LEADERS . . .

teams. Coach Perkins, by dint of his amiable character, has popularized himself among both the students and players of Fort High. Starting with football and continuing on with basketball, baseball and track, Coach has instilled into our boys true sportsmanship. His willingness to help his boys gives them the will to go out there and win for their Alma mater. The per-





sistent aggressiveness of Perkins, and his squad's will to work, made them title contenders before the season closed. Here's a big hand for Fort High's physical education instructor, Forrest Perkins.

As a cooperative, faithful member of the Fort High faculty for many years, Art Sundt is also to be lauded for his unceasing and excellent assistance in the direc-

tion of our athletic teams. Little do we realize, perhaps, the invaluable help Coach Sundt has given our boys and students. To see one of his carefully-coached backs crossing the goal line ought to make us conscious of the splendid work of this arduous helper of the High School coaching staff. We take off our hat to you Coach Art Sundt, for a job well done.

FOOT

PRESEASON

Preparation for the 1945 grid season got under way on Labor Day, when a squad of 50 aspirants held their first drill under the direction of dynamic Forrest Perkins, who was starting his first year as sports mentor. Disregarding the uninspiring record of former years this ex-marine, a graduate of Platteville State Teachers College, produced a team that won new respect for the Cardinals throughout the conference. Pre season ratings named the Cards as second division ball club, but the fighting spirit of Perkins and his squad made them title contenders before the season closed.

FOOTBALL SCOREBOARD

Fort.	20	Jefferson	7
Fort.	13	Reedsburg	7
Fort.	6	Monroe	19
Fort.	13	Wis. High	12
Fort.	25	Edgerton	6
Fort.	6	Wis. Dells	20
Fort.	19	Stoughton	0

In the inaugural of the 1945 grid-iron season, a rugged, raging, football team welcomed their new coach, Forrest Perkins, and prefaced a brilliant season with a glorious 20 to 7 victory over their traditional rival Jeffers.

On the twelfth play following the kick-off, Jim Hensey passed to fullback Jerry Kutz in the end zone, for the initial touchdown of the season. Jim Justus kicked the extra point from placement. In the second quarter the Eagles knotted the count, before the Cards opened wide their bag of tricks to baffle their guests, moving the ball into scoring position on a series of razzle-dazzle plays. From the 9-yd. line, Hensey again flipped to Kutz for a touchdown. The extra point try was wide, but had no bearing on the outcome as the Cards scored again on Hensey's off-tackle smash in the final quarter. Justus converted the extra point making the final score Fort 20, Jeff. 7.

Scoring two touchdowns in the first half the out-weighed Cardinals defeated Reedsburg's battling Beavers 13 to 7. Playing in a field of mud, the Cardinal squad was handicapped by illness of both regulars and reserves. The first Cardinal touchdown came as Jim Yackels took Henseys short lateral and raced 46 yds. to the pay off strip on the 5th play of the ball game. Their final touchdown came in the 2nd period when Mel May taking a lateral pass on the 3 yd. stripe, raced wide and crossed the goal line untouched. Hensey passed to Justus for the extra point concluding the Card scoring. In the second half the Cards staged a last ditch defensive battle and after the Reedsburg team had scored once, the heavier invaders were held in check.

Monroe's mighty Cheesemakers ground out a 19 to 6 victory over a battling Cardinal machine that in the final period scored on the Monroe giants and were again threatening at the final gun. The game, a grueling, bitter fight, added prestige to the Cardinal team that asked no quarter. Jerry Kutz was lost to the squad three hours before game time to further handicap the team which was pounds lighter at each position. Fort's touchdown came on the 1st play of the 4th quarter when Jim Yackels' passing from Monroe's 42 stripe, pitched a perfect strike to Hensey beyond the Monroe secondary, who raced all the way to score the Card's lone touchdown.

A Cardinal comet flashed twice across Breeze Stevens Field in the closing minutes of a football battle to give Forrest Perkin's gridders a thrilling 13 to 12 victory over Coach Clyde Knapp's Badger Preps. For the first 44 minutes of the game, it appeared that Wisconsin High was a certain winner. At that point, the temper of Jim Yackels, Cardinal fullback, flamed and the entire Cardinal team caught fire. Changing from an average football team into a destructive force that punched holes into the Prep's forward wall, the team catapulted Jim Hensey into the secondary, and he raced 35 yds. to score untouched. Hensey passed to Justus for the all-important after-point, and the Cards trailed 12 to 7. Wisconsin High was forced to punt after receiving the kick-off, and Jimmy Justus taking the ball on the Fort 45 started to his right, handed the ball on a criss-cross to Hensey who raced 55 yds. to a touchdown and victory.

BALL

REVIEW

In the final home game of the year, the team cracked a six-year homecoming jinx by defeating Edgerton 25 to 6. The contest was decided in the 1st minute and a half when Mel May broke over his own right tackle, and out-raced the entire Edgerton team for a 59-yd. touchdown run on the 3rd play of the game. Justus placekicked the extra point. Hensey, on the receiving end of a pass into the end zone, racked up the second Fort touchdown in the closing minutes of the 1st half. In the 3rd period, May raced 28 yds. to his second and the Card's third touchdown. Jerry Kutz, fullback, plunged for the fourth and final touchdown. The lone Edgerton tally came in the 1st period.

In their only Northern appearance, the gridders saw their title hopes blasted by the resorters of Wisconsin Dells 20 to 6. The Cards took the opening kickoff and marched 54 yds to score on the 9th play of the game. Jim Hensey scored on a quarterback sneak from the 1-yd. line. In the same period Fort's second scoring thread was snapped when a fleet-footed Dell's back intercepted a Fort pass and raced 95 yds. to score, and greased the skids for the title hopes of the Cards. The resorters completed their scoring with touchdowns in the second and third quarters.

In a brilliant finale to a successful season, the giant-killing Cards blasted Stoughton from a share of the southern 10 conference title when they gave the favored Vikings a 19 to 0 lacing, effectively spoiling the Soughton homecoming. The Card's 1st touchdown came in the second quarter when Hensey scored on a quarterback sneak. In the 3rd period, John Venning blocked a Stoughton punt that the Cards recovered on the Viking 15. On the 3rd play, Yackels rammed through for the final 3 yds. and the Card's 2nd touchdown. The afterpoint was made on a quarterback sneak. Fort's final touchdown came on Mel May's run from the 8-yd. line. The Southern Ten Conference in the 1945 season produced a number of outstanding fullbacks, but Jim Yackels in the final game of the year turned in a performance as brilliant as any seen on conference g rid-iron. Even in a game in which the playing of a team as a unit was exceptional, Jim's play on both offense and defense was outstanding and noteworthy.

First Row: Bob Ohl, Jim Hensey, Jim Justus, Mel May, Fritz Ludtke, Ken Krause, Ralph Jung, Larry Grady.

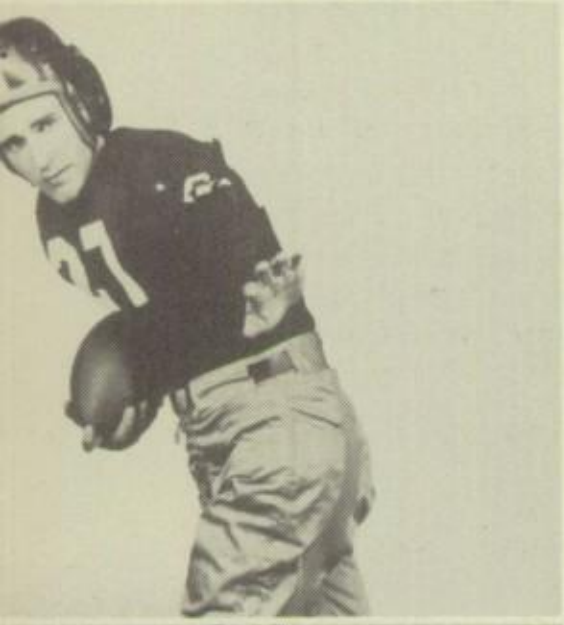
Second Row: James Rumary, Bob Wange, Bob Lueder, Bob Guntzburger, Jim Yackels, Bob Weber, Jack Stanton, Jerry Kutz, Bob Prabst.

Third Row: Ass't. Coach Art Sundt, John Venning, Jim Fuller, LaVerne Klietz, Bill Ganser, Claude Haferman, Jim Baird, Jerry Pfafflin, Wayne Armstrong, Coach Perkins.

CARD

JIM HENSEY, quarterback, was the team's spark plug in combined know-how with daring in piloting the team to a successful season. An exceptional runner himself, in the signal caller's position, Jim made fullest use of all of the team's material in his play selection. In addition to his ball-toting ability, he was a nifty pass hurler who found his mark with enough consistency to keep off-balance every defense in the conference.

JERRY KUTZ, during the season, performed both as a fullback and at an end and in spite of being kept out for a portion of the season by illness, turned in outstanding performances in both positions. Light in weight, he cracked the line with power on offense and backed up the line on defense in grand style.



MEL MAY, will-o'-the-wisp right halfback, raced and danced his way for long gains and touchdowns in a manner that left potential tacklers strewn on every gridiron in the conference. Giving away pounds to every line and secondary that he raced through, his elusiveness as well as his speed made him a touchdown threat every time he took the pigskin and started on his end sweeps or cut sharply through tackle. On defense he gave no recognition to size and was one of the most vicious tacklers on the squad.

JIMMY JUSTUS, the Cardinal's fastest straight-away runner, also carried the squad's conversion load. It was his educated toe and pass-snatching ability that set up the afterpoint for the Cardinals. A terrific blocker, Jim had the speed to stay in front of the ball carrier and clear the path.

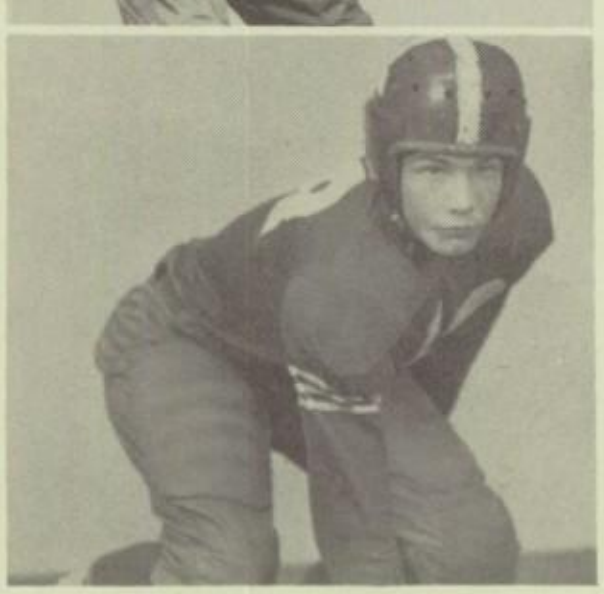
Although KENNETH KRAUSE was probably the smallest man on the squad, Kenney made up for it in fight. His reckless play won for him many friends as well as bruises. His interesting style of play will be missed next year.

CAPTAIN RALPH JUNG, from his guard position, was the terror of opposing linemen. On offense he opened gaping holes or pulled out to lead the interference and on defense, opposing teams soon learned that al though small in stature, he was mighty in strength, endurance and courage.

FRITZ LUEDTKE, who started the season at tackle but early moved to his favorite position at guard, liked it best when the going was the roughest. Opposing ball carriers who tried their luck against formidable Fritz, soon learned the error of their ways and directed their attention elsewhere. No matter what the odds, he stayed in there to fight it out until the final whistle.

GRADS

JOHN VENNING was shifted to tackle early in the season after having played the first two games as an end. In the tackle spot he was where he wanted to be as he knew it best and it suited his talents and it gave him the opportunity to get action in a spot where the going was consistently the most rugged. Quiet and mild-mannered, his play was clean and hard as he asked and gave no quarter. An alert, heady lineman, he ranked number one on the squad in the recovery of opponent's fumbles.



WALLY HUBBARD. Probably no one on the squad enjoyed football as much as Wally Hubbard. He was always in there on every play, playing it hard all the way. Though handicapped by broken ribs during the season, Wally refused to quit. His fighting spirit won admiration from both coaches and players.

CLAUDE HAFFERMAN was a capable end, performing in every game this year. He was one of the best tacklers on the squad as well as a fine pass receiver. These things along with his punting ability made him a valuable asset to the team.

BOB GUNTZBURGER was one of the most likeable players on the squad. He was a steady workman, almost never missing with his passes from center. As regular center, he played almost every minute.

BILL GANSER was a dependable center whenever called upon. Though very quiet, he was a hard worker, well-liked by all. His fine height was a great asset on pass defense.

BOB WEBER proved his value in the Edgerton game. His touchdown pass started the Cards rolling to a homecoming victory. Another feature of his fine play, was his fearless line backing.

LAVERNE KLIETZ. Opponents soon found out that they couldn't roll over LaVerne Klietz. His height and weight stood him in good stead when the going got rough up front and he proved to be a hard man to stop.

First Row: Bob Ehlers, Norman Hathaway, Denny Ankomeus, Bob Becker, Dick Simons, Donn Frey.
Second Row: Ray Roe, Stan Dempski, Ronald Cloute, Bill Holmes, Loren Reineck, Richard Statz.
Third Row: Rodell Olson, Durwood Maas, Tom Knoll, John Lonsdale, Gene Raddatz, Bob Wilde.

FORT "BEE" TEAM

The Bee team of the football squad, under the capable coaching of Coach Forrest Perkins, enjoyed a fairly successful season. At the first practice in September about twenty boys reported. At guard position were Norman Hathaway and Ronald Cloute. At tackle were Bill Holms, Bob Wilde and Tom Knoll. At end position were Durwood Maas, Gene Raddatz and Bob Becker. The center was Raymond Roe. The backfield included either Dick Simmons or Richard Statz; at quarterback, Stanley Dempsky and Denny Ankomeus and Loren Rheinick at halfback, and Donn Fry or John Lonsdale at fullback. The manager of the team was Rodell "Pete" Olson.

The team played games with Jefferson and Watertown this year. Many of the players on this year's team will be regular members of the varsity squad next year. Let's wish them lots of luck.

Jim Yackels, junior fullback, was elected captain of the 46-47 football team at the annual football banquet put on by the American Legion. Jim has won letters at both end and fullback in his two years on the varsity squad. This year he developed into one of the finest fullbacks in the conference. Always a hard fighter, Jim likes it best when the going is rough. His peak performance was in the Stoughton game when he repeatedly smashed through for long gains. Jim's fighting leadership should do much to make next year's team a good one.

Jim is also active in basketball, track, and baseball and he was selected as an alternate to Badger Boys' State. We are certain that Jim will do a swell job, and wish him a lot of success.

First Row: Jim Baird, Jim Fuller, Jim Hensey, John Venning, Ralph Jung, Jim Justus, Bob Lueder, Larry Grady.

Second Row: Les Wurtzler, Dick Bauer, Jerry Kutz, Bob Ohl, Mel May, Claude Haferman, Bob Weber, James Rumary.

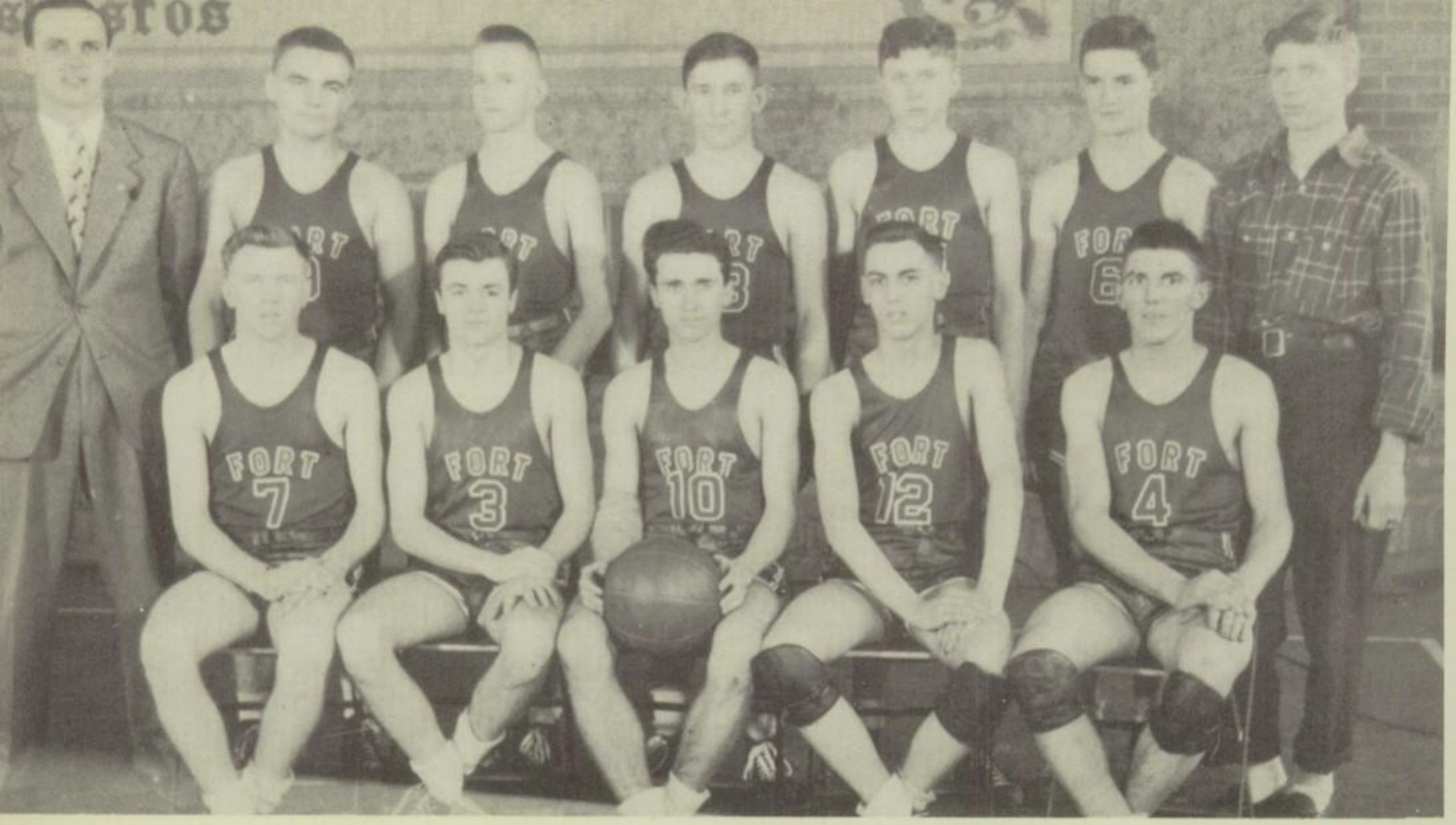
Third Row: Bob Guntzburger, Jerry Pfafflin, Jack Stanton, Wally Wegener, Ken Krause, Wally Hubbard, Bill Ganser, Ronnie Engler, Jim Yackels, Fritz Ludtke.

The "F" Club started the year with a bang by initiating fifteen new members. The initiation lasted two weeks during which the initiates enjoyed themselves carrying out tasks for their masters. The initiation was climaxed by a night of fun in the gym. During the course of the evening a light lunch was served to the new members as a reward for their faithfulness. The leading marksman of the evening proved to be C. F. Mueller, prominent sportswriter.

The "F" Club again co-sponsored the annual Homecoming Dance with the G.A.A. Much enthusiastic work was exhibited by members of both organizations, and the one-sided win over Egderton made the dance a huge success. The "F" Club float highlighted the Homecoming parade with its striking musical ability.

As their leaders for the 1945-46 season they chose John Venning, president; Ralph Jung, vice-president; and Jim Hensey, secretary-treasurer.

This organization, which consists of all lettermen, was founded to promote clean sportsmanship and fair play. The group is under the capable direction of Coach Forrest Perkins, Card mentor.



First Row: Jim Hensey, Jim Justus, Capt. Mel May, Ronnie Engler, Jim Rumary.

Second Row: Coach Perkins, Jerry Schlegel, Jim Gordon, Jerry Kutz, Loren Reineck, Ronald Cloute, and Mgr. Bob Guntzburger.

BASKETBALL

Four letter winners from the 1944-45 cage squad formed the foundation of the group of almost 50 who answered the call of coach Forrest Perkins for the initial cage practice. Jim Justus, Jim Hensey, Mey May, and Jim Rumary, senior members of the squad, were the only holdovers. Added to this group were stellar performers on last year's B's, R. Engler, W. Wegener, J. Yackels, J. Pfafflin, Skip Lueder, and E. Martin. Jerry Kutz, a senior, was making his first bid coming up from the intramurals as was powerful Fritz Luedtke.

Seniors on the squad were playing under their 4th coach and Perkins in his 1st year had but 3 weeks to ready his squad in an entirely different system.

The Cardinal Cagers opened at home against conference opposition when they squared off against Baraboo. The Circus City Quintet grabbed the opener by a score of 33-22. The Cards, not impressive, staged a stubborn vain uphill fight against their towering opponents.

On Dec. 7 at Richland Center the cagers increased their percentage to 500 when they robbed the Hornets of their sting by a 20-23 margin. Ronnie Engler paced his mates with 8 pts. in a game in which the entire squad saw action.

Stoughton's Vikings, still smarting under the defeat suffered in the grid season finale, gave the Cards a stormy night in their second consecutive game away from home. Using their size to advantage the hosts pounded out a 36 to 30 victory. After having the short end of the scoring in the 1st 3 quarters, the Cards made it a thrilling battle in the 4th quarter as they outscored their hosts 12 to 0.

Going to Jefferson for their 1st non-conference tilt; our team, after trailing by one point at half-time, bogged down in the final two periods, and the county seaters romped off with a 42 to 27 victory.

On Dec. 21 the 1945 portion of the season closed with a thrilling overtime game in which Edgerton gained the nod by a 32 to 30 score. The Tobacco City team, undefeated, took the floor as top-heavy favorites, but a gallant, fighting Cardinal team matched them point for point in the regulation time. The brilliant Cardinal defense allowed the vistors but one shot in the rugged overtime period, but that one spelled defeat.

On Jan. 7, the team opened the 1946 portion of the schedule by dropping the argument by a 27-22 score. Failure of the Cards to hit the basket cost them the verdict.

The Badger Preps furnished the opposition for the next league encounter and measured our team 33 to 24 on the Fieldhouse floor. The king-sized court proved too big an obstacle to the Cards who were unable to find themselves until the final period, in which they outpointed their hosts 6 to 2 in a gallant, but vain counter-attack.

A record crowd jammed the municipal auditorium to see the sizzling Monroe Cheesemakers race to a lop-sided 65 to 22 victory. The driving speed of the visitors was too much for the Cards.

The Watertown Goslings in a bruising battle hammered out a 37 to 25 win at Watertown in the 2nd non-conference game on the schedule. Size, not basketball, decided the issue. Ronnie Engler scored more than half the team's points, counting 13.

A 14 to 3 spread in the 3rd period gave Wis. Dells a 32 to 26 victory at Ft. Atkinson in a league encounter. The team had outscored their guests 13 to 12 in the last half before slumping, and their 10 to 6 rebound in the 4th quarter was too short to turn the tide.

Jefferson in a return engagement here, was unable to stem the rush and the high flying Red Birds scored their second victory of the season by defeating their guests 47 to 43.

On our final northern invasion, Reedsburg proved to be too formidable an opponent, and the Cards returned from the 180-mile trip on the short end of a 40 to 34 score. Wegener sparkled for the Cards with 15 points.

The Watertown Goslings in a return engagement, staged a terrific 4th quarter rally to force the game into an overtime, and snatch apparent victory from the Cards by a 38 to 34 score.

Continuing their drive to the conference championship, Monroe again speeded to victory, this time ringing up 68 points to 32 for our team. Every member of the Fort team shared in the team total.

Wisconsin High moved ahead in the 3rd period by 2 points in their game here and the courageous Cards fell one point short when in a driving 4th quarter finish they outscored the preps 9 to 8, but lost the decision 35 to 34.

Five seniors and sophomore Ronnie Engler made their bid against Edgerton in their final conference game away from home, and after 32 minutes of the season's most thrilling basketball, left the floor defeated by a 34 to 32 score. It was a brilliant battle but Cardinal prestige suffered nothing in defeat.

The Cards were perfect hosts in the final home game of the season, and visiting Stoughton again shot their way to 38 to 25 victory. The guests in racking up the win scored 15 times from the floor while the 12 Cardinals were able to make only 8 of their short stick.

On Feb. 28 we met Edgerton in our first game at the Stoughton Regional tournament, and 2 previous defeats were forgotten as we won our way to the semi-finals with a 42 to 36 win. Jim Rumary led the Cards to victory with 13 points followed by Engler with 11.

Janesville co-champions of the Big Eight proved to be too big a bite in the Cardinals final game and the team bowed out the season with a 52 to 30 defeat.

Although the 1945-46 season proved unimpressive, it left us with a feeling of pleasant anticipation for things to come. The sophomores Ronnie Engler, Wally Wegener, Mort Cloute, and Juniors Jim Yackels, Skip Lueder, and Jerry Pfafflin in combination with Freshman Jim Gordon, Loren Rheineck, Jerry Mason, and Tom Knoll, are all rich in ability and have picked up enough experience to make the forthcoming cage teams a threat to the entire conference.

First Row: Bob Lueder, Fritz Luedtke, Eldon Martin, Jim Hensey, Mel May, Jim Justus.
Second Row: Coach Perkins, Jerry Pfafflin, Jim Yackels, Dick Bauer, Ronnie Engler, Wally Wegener, James Rumary, Mgr.; Wally Hubbard.

First Row: Bob Adams, Jerry Mason, Philip Hagen, Ronald Cloute.
Second Row: Coach Perkins, Tom Knoll, Harvey Mueller, Jim Gordon, Loren Reineck, Jerry Schlegel.

BASKETBALL "B" TEAM

With a large sprinkling of Freshman among his "B" squad, Coach Forrest Perkins opened his Jay-V season. The squad spent most of the time on fundamentals and showed continued improvement throughout the season.

In the inaugural game, the Bees started the season with a 20 to 14 triumph over Baraboo. An 8 point bulge was the decisive factor.

The Bees routed Stoughton 41 to 24 for their second straight win. Scoring in the second and third periods accounted for 30 points and placed the game in the win column.

Edgerton's Bees showed too much speed and finesse for the Jay-V's as they copped a 39 to 27 win. Gordon's 11 points couldn't turn the tide.

Again encountering too much height and speed, the team dropped a one-sided encounter with Wisconsin High 44 to 13. Wisconsin High was in complete command throughout.

Monroe, with a "B" team resembling its fine A squad, outsped and outshot the Bees for a 46 to 15 win. The Cheesemakers led by 13 points at the end of the first quarter and drew steadily away.

In a great uphill battle that fell just short of victory, the Jay-V's were edged by Watertown 16 to 15. The game was lost at the free throw line as there were only 5 conversions in 17 attempts.

Wisconsin Dells' rangy ball club handed the still off-form Bees a neat 22 to 16 defeat. The Resorters were held on even terms throughout the second half, but the early lead stood up.

Jefferson still showed too much for the Frosh-Sophs and the underclassmen succumbed 28 to 20.

The long seven game losing streak was finally ended with a smashing 27 to 13 triumph over Watertown. Gordon and Knoll sparked the attack with nine points apiece as the team led in every quarter.

Monroe's fine ball club again won handily 33 to 12. As before, the Cheesemakers were too fast and accurate.

The Jay-V's again lacked punch and dropped what proved to be their final ball game 32 to 13. The Bee's held a brief edge in the first quarter but Wisconsin High came on fast to cop the decision.

The revising of the "A" squad caused all remaining "B" games to be cancelled. All members of the "B" squad were then moved to the varsity. While the season was not a success from the won and lost standpoint, it will undoubtedly provide much material for next year's varsity.

First Row: John Venning, Jim Justus, Mel May, Capt. Jim Hensey, Donn Frey, Durwood Maas, Denny Ankomeus, Lester Wurtzler.

Second Row: Jack Stanton, Dick Simons, Stanley Dempski, Wally Wegener, David Wallace, David Statz.

Third Row: James Rumary, Gene Raddatz, Jim Fuller, John Lonsdale, Wayne Armstrong, Coach Perkins.

TRACK

Eight lettermen formed the nucleus for the 1946 track team. The team appeared weak in most of the field events with strength concentrated in the running events. Veterans were led by Captain Jim Hensey who ran the dashes and relay. Other lettermen back were Jim Justus and Mel May, dashes and relay; John Venning 440 Yd. dash; Jim Fuller hurdles, broad jump, and 440 Yd. dash; Jim Yackels high jump and shot put; and Lester Wurtzler and Wally Wegener in the mile. Other likely prospects included Durwood Maas, half mile; and Donn Frey in the dashes and relay.

The first meet of the year was at the Madison West relays, April 20th, with 13 schools competing in the Class B Section.

Other meets were as follows:

April 24th—Triangular meet at Stoughton with Monroe also competing.

April 26th—Baraboo invitational meet.

May 3rd—Triangular meet at Whitewater with Oconomowoc third team.

May 10th—Southern Ten Conference meet at Madison.

May 17th—Sectional meet at Janesville.

May 24th—State meet at Madison.

TENNIS

A green inexperienced tennis team was present for the 1946 season. All members of last year's championship team graduated, leaving no returning veterans. The long winning streak built up during the past years was broken last year by Madison West. But our fine team easily won the conference championship.

Due to his many coaching responsibilities, Coach Perkins was unable to devote much time to the tennis squad. Brightest prospects appeared to be Wally Wegener, Jerry Pfafflin, Eldon Martin and Jim Rumary. No matches had been definitely scheduled but the conference meet was scheduled for May 11th at Madison.

First Row: Ralph Jung, Jim Justus, Capt. Jerry Kutz, Jim Hensey, Mel May.
Second Row: Jerry Schlegel, Ronnie Engler, Dick Bauer, Coach Perkins, Jim Yackels, Bob Lueder, Ray Menzel.
Third Row: Bob Kohler, Jim Luete, Durwood Maas, Harold Steinke, Bob Wange, Tom Knoll, Jim Hebbe.
Not in Picture: John Venning, Don Gore, La Verne Amacher.

BASEBALL

A large squad of veterans reported to Coach Perkins, as the Cards prepared for their third year of baseball. Nine lettermen reported from last year's championship squad. Lettermen, led by Captain Jerry Kutz, were available for every position except on the mound. Veterans were catcher Kutz, infielders Dick Bauer, Ronnie Engler, Mey May, Skip Lueder, and Jim Hensey; and outfielders Jimmy Justus, Ralph Jung and John Venning. Jerry Schlegel and Jim Hensey appeared the likeliest pitching candidates and Ray Menzel appeared likely to break into the outfield.

Two new teams, Edgerton and Milton Union made their first entrance into the league. Other old members were Lake Mills, Jefferson, and Fort.

Whitewater City High and Columbus offered opposition on the two open dates of the conference schedule.

In their first ball game on April 22, the Cards easily defeated Edgerton behind the fine hurling of Jerry Schlegel 12 to 1. Bauer led the hitters with three hits, one a triple.

Traveling to Lake Mills, the Cards suffered their first defeat as they were unable to hit the pitching of Eddie Rehm consistently. Bauer's home run accounted for the only Fort tally while Lake Mills scored 6.

Jefferson's Eagles handed the Cards their second straight defeat 9 to 6 in a game played at Jefferson April 29.

In a non-league contest, the Cards routed Whitewater City High by a score of 18 to 2. A 13 hit attack, featured by four home runs, gave the team an easy victory.

In one of the best played games of the year, the Cards edged Milton Union 4 to 0. All the team's runs were scored in one inning and Schlegel protected the lead nicely.

Edgerton was again easy prey for the Cards in the return engagement this time losing 17 to 4. Hensey pitched fine ball for Fort.

The rest of the schedule included:

May 13, Lake Mills—Here
May 17, Jefferson—There
May 20, Columbus—There
May 23, Milton—Here.

First Row: Dorothy Whitford, Margaret Baird, Ruth Schumacher, Mrs. Lavina Brown, Mary Sievert, Agnes Carmichael, Ann Dexheimer.

Second Row: Mary Knoerr, Rosa Lena Bauman, Margaret Knoerr, Joan Taylor, Sharri Mussehl, Sue Toussaint, Evelyn Winter, Dorothy Downing.

G. A. A.

During this year the G.A.A. has been more active than ever guiding the Fort Girls in sports. These sports teach the girls more than just physical education, they have fun while learning team play and god sportsmanship.

With fall, began the initiating of the unlucky new members, who took pranks played on them with real good sportsmanship Girls in brightly clashing colors, mismated shoes, scads of jewelry, and numerous ribbons were a familiar sight, laboring along under a pile of books, while their fellow G.A.A.'ers looked on gleefully. The climax came at school in the gym and the initiates became regular members at last. But not until they had walked in mud, kissed molasses and flour, and eaten cold spaghetti.

The first sport in the fall was kittenball, with many hard and loud battles. Evelyn Winter's team came out the final victors and earned the title of kittenball champs. With the cold weather, basketball began, many of the girls favorite. Mary Klement's team was the conquerer in Basketball and they really played hard.

The G.A.A.'s capable president was Ruth Schumacher, who planned the banquet and kept things running smoothly all year. Mary Sievert was vice-president, and Margaret Baird was secretary-treasurer.

And if a vote were taken for the most popular member of the G.A.A. it would of course be Mrs. Brown. No hike or party would ever be a success unless she were along to make us laugh and put everyone at ease. Mrs. Brown is more than just a gym teacher in our school; she's everyone's mom and has helped many more than a few, boys as well as girls, over a rough spot when the going was hard. She spends many hours with us out of school, and always sticks up for us when we need it and we love her for it. The G.A.A. girls, and all the girls in Fort High think she's tops!

The G.A.A. banquet was held in May, for the members of the board and their mothers. The home economics department furnished the food, and it was as fine as it always is, and everyone enjoyed her evening.

During the half at one of the league games at the municipal building, the Junior girls played the Senior girls The crowd seemed to enjoy the game, and the girls liked to play. The Seniors managed to save face, and won 10 to 7.

On Wednesday nights after school, during part of the winter, the G.A.A. volleyball games began, with great vigor, especially on the part of Betty Finger's team, who were the champs.

With the coming of spring, Badminton, tennis and kickball began and again the girls were able to be outside and play in the sun again.

In the fall and spring, the G.A.A. went on hikes, which were very popular with the girls. On the fall hike, we walked for several miles and then returned to Margaret Baird's backyard to roast weiners and marshmallows and sing around the dying campfire.

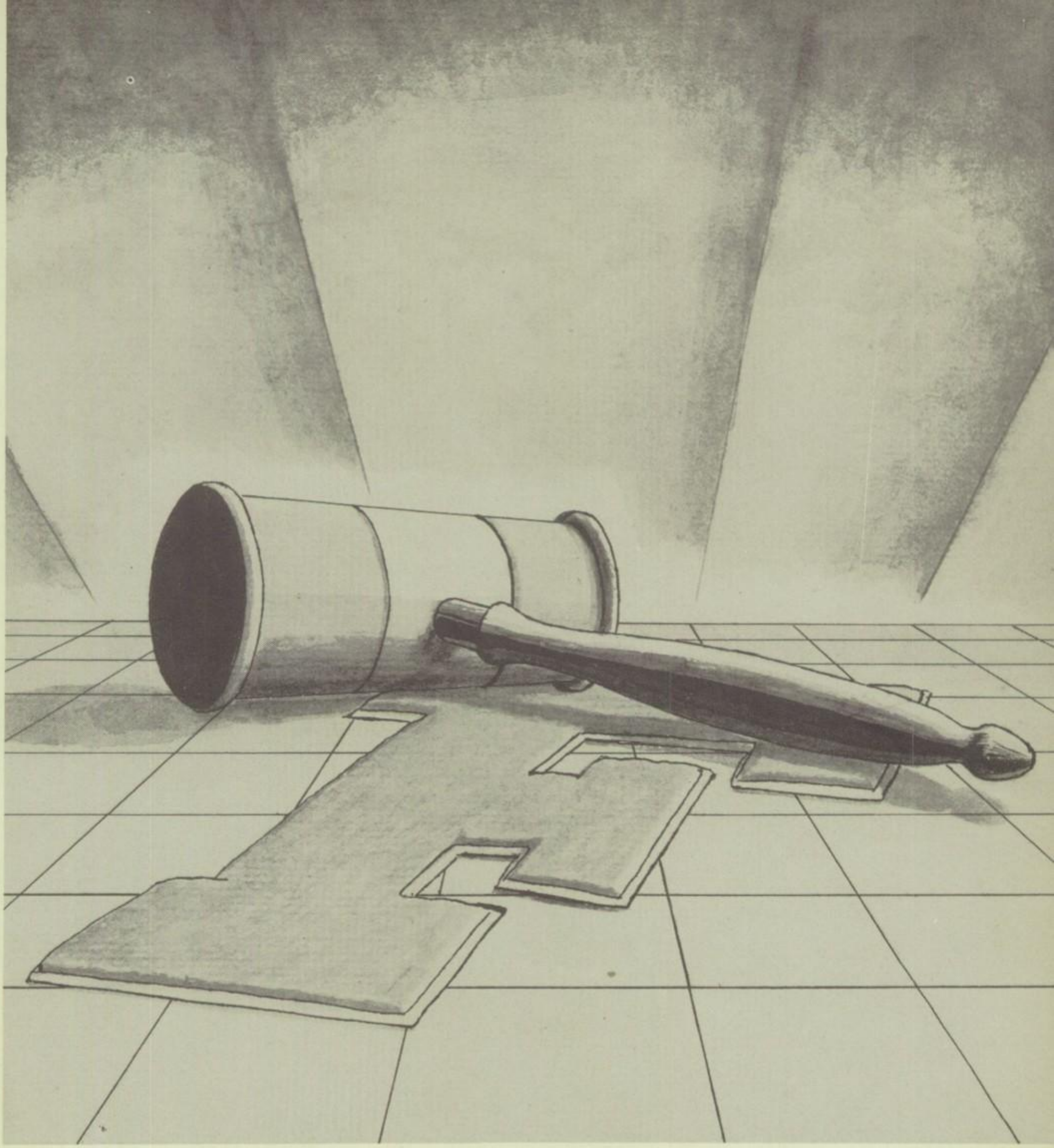
CHEER LEADERS

Genevieve Stannard, Margie Henry, Jerry Knoepfel, Joan Taylor, Agnes Carmichael.

Three cheers for our cheerleaders! Under the supervising eye of "Ma" Brown, girls' physical education instructor, this year's peppy group of cheerleaders have done a great job. Present at every game, whether on a wet, soggy gridiron, or on the crowded basketball court, this squad has faithfully led us through both victories and defeats. With five enthusiastic young leaders like these, our spirits had no chance to bog down. Not only is the "A" squad deserving of such a hand, but also the eager, up-and-coming "B" squad.

The "snappy five" that were to be seen most frequently at each and every game were Aggie, Jenny, Jerry, Jo, and Margie. Agnes Carmichael is the vivacious, witty, little senior, who is among the first to bounce off the bench at a touchdown or basket. Then our other senior is Jenny Stannard, tiny blonde who was our Prom Queen last year. Jenny's voice can really give out when needed. The only masculine character of this renowned group is Jerry Knoepfel, a member of '47. With his cartwheels and somersaults, Jerry has been an important factor on the squad. The other junior is the lively miss who loves to tumble, Joan Taylor. The pretty, dark-haired individual who represents the sophomores on the "A" squad is Margie Henry.

Those girls who will soon take over the number one positions of cheerleaders are the members of the "B" squad: Mary Klitzkie, Zella West, Trela Cole, Marjorie Haferman, Harriet Schroeder, and Colleen Cook. We're proud of all of them!



ORGANIZATIONS

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

MR. ANHALT

MISS LEA

MISS STEIL

As far as one can see, from the musical standpoint of F.H.S., this has been a very successful year. The old Shakespearean saying, "The man that hath no music in his soul is fit for stratagems and spoils" is applicable to the students during the past year. With 60 enrolled in the band, 67 in the A Cappella choir, 40 in Glee Club, 12 in ensemble, and others in numerous other solo and ensemble events, it is clearly evident that music is on the upward trend among the students today.

Much of the credit is to be given to our music leaders, Mr. Stuart Anhalt, Miss Margaret Lea, and Miss Brenna Steil.

Mr. Anhalt is the director of both the band and the orchestra. Many a morning before school called, the band members could be seen marching around several city blocks. After many long years of instructing Mr. Anhalt has found that "Practice makes perfect". Besides the fine work the band has done, the orchestra has provided a great deal of entertainment at commencements, baccalaureates, class plays, and other activities.

Miss Lea also is to be congratulated on the wonderful work she has done with the A Cappella Choir, the Glee Club, and the Ensemble. Every fourth period on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, with the transom closed, the choir would begin their rehearsals. Although at times countless sour notes and heaven-rending discords were evident, Miss Lea's hopes never diminished, nor did her patience ebb. Then there were those 12:30 noon dead-lines at which she had to meet with the ensemble girls. And never a dull moment.

To build up the Junior High music division this year, we have Miss Steil. This young teacher spent many an hour after school hours working on her music. Thanks to her enthusiasm and ambition the Junior High orchestra was originated. She also directs the Junior Girls' Glee Club.

We must not forget our faithful accompanists, Mary Wahl and Norma Langholff. Mary has willingly given of her time to attend all A Cappella choir practices, and later on in the year she took over the task of accompanying the Glee Club. Norma, for the major portion of the year, was accompanist for our Glee Club.

Orchids to both the leaders and accompanists for their meritorious work in our music department.

MARY WAHL

NORMA LANGHOLFF

First Row: Jane Aspinwall, David Chapman, Alice Lalk.

Second Row: Jerry Knoepfel, Bob Prabst, Tom Knoll, Albert Hartel, Jack Blodgett, Gloria Seavert, Paula Cornish, Gary Michles, Jim Cloute, Daniel Wagenecht, Kenneth Langholff, Jim Heth, Bob Shaw, Denny Ankomeus, Jerry Pfafflin.

Third Row: Margaret Hyde, Betty Prust, James Schmidt, Duwane Gilke, Buchholtz, May Lou Hausz, Leo Owens, Loren Block, Ann Ranker, Dick Hadinger, Betty Lou Beiderman, Jean Fandrei, Joan Kuenzi, Dean Geldard, Bill Dollase.

Fourth Row (Left): Joan Radtke, Frances Ward, Bessie Cross, Marion DuMond, Wally Weber, Bob Emrick.

Fourth Row (Right): Ronald Gess, Romona Fulmer, Beverly Olson, Jim Fuller, Bob Bonnett.

Fifth Row: Director Anhalt, Donald Chapman, Ralph Chapman, Omar Hubbard, Charles Bergman, Jerry Mason, Keith Draves, Carl Birk, Jim Zimmermann, Kay Koester, Mary Klement, Marilyn Carney.

BAND

This year our band numbered sixty in all. We have a right to be very proud to have such a band and they certainly have never let our hopes down.

On the regular band morning, Wednesday, and Friday, in the fall or spring, the band may be seen outside practicing its marching. In the fall, it practices for the football games; and in the spring, it practices for the Music Festival. On rainy days, the band practices it's concert pieces in order to secure a first at the contest.

In the beginning of the year, the band elected officers as follows: Wally Weber, President; Bob Emerick, Vice-President; Don Chapman, Treasurer; and Margaret Hyde, Secretary.

Around the Christmas vacation the band held a dance. At the beginning of the second semester, uniform inspection was held and if Johnny had grown, he was either shrunk or supplied with a new uniform.

In their snappy maroon and grey uniforms the band attended the Music Festival in Whitewater on May 18, and they made a very fine showing, both in their parade work and in their concert work.

The high school orchestra has been rejuvenated this year, and has surprised quite a few with its new life. They have added several new members also. They have played at many banquets and gatherings during the year. The F.F.A. organization and the Co-op have called on them frequently for music for their gatherings.

At Bacculaurate they played the "March of the Meistersingers" as the long column of grey gowned and capped marched to their seats.

The night of the class play the strains of "I'll Walk Alone", and etcetera sounded in the Community Building, much to the delight of the younger generation.

First Row: Loren Block, Jerry Pfafflin, Bob Prabst, Betty Jane Finger, Margaret Hyde.

Second Row: Ronald Gess, Bob Emrick, Wally Weber, Donald Chapman, Denny Ankomeus, Jerry Pfafflin, Director Anhalt, Ila Mae Finger.

First Row: Marjorie Haferman, Janet Smith, Patricia Krauss, Josephine Phelps, Harriet Gross, Betty Kennedy, Margaret Knoerr, Evelyn Winter, Shirley Behl, Betty Prust, Mary Knoerr, Rosa Lena Bauman, Naomi Staude.

Second Row: Barbara Walsh, Audrey Wilson, Sue Toussaint, Joan Schrank, Phyllis Vosburg, Barbara Sundt, Miss Lea, Doris Nemitz, Marlys Eckley, Donna Madsen, Joan Rueter, Marilyn May, Jane Aspinwall, Dorothy Downing, Betsy Myra.

Third Row: Joan Krueger, Mary Wahl, Mary Ann Weidner, Rosemary Diedrich, Jo Anne Missfeldt, Mary Klement, Palmera Dillun, Ann Banker, Jo Anne Taylor, Ruth Schumacher, Margaret Hyde, Margaret Goddard, Irene Van Horn, Betty Jane Finger, Jessie Walters, Joseph Hummel.

Fourth Row: James Mahon, Robert Guntzburger, James Hensey, Melvin May, James Fuller, Florence Kiehnau, Janet May, Mary Klitzkie, Trela Cole, Mary Ann Aspinwall, Mary Sievert, Nancy Theno, Charlotte Kutz, Dick Reynolds, Gerald Kutz, James Justus, Jerry Knoepfel.

Fifth Row: James Zimmerman, Lloyd Klietz, Joseph Walsh, Robert Hartman, John Venning, Richard Romoser.

A CAPPELLA CHOIR

Fort High resounds with pleasing harmony when the A Cappella Choir practices every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday during the fourth hour under the very able direction of Miss Margaret Lea.

At the beginning of the year, section leaders were elected for the voice sections of the choir. First soprano, Harriet Gross; Second soprano, Mary Ann Aspinwall; First alto, Ruth Schumacher; Second alto, Rosa Lena Bauman; Tenor, James Hensey; Baritone, Gerald Kutz; Bass, Gerald Knoepfel. The following officers were also elected, President, James Justus; Vice-President, Mary Sievert; Secretary, Jane Aspinwall; Treasurer, James Hensey; Pianist, Mary Wahl.

The choir lists 67 members this year.

1st Soprano: Trela Cole, Rosemary Diedrich, Palmera Dillun, Harriet Gross, Marjorie Haferman, Betty Kennedy, Joan Krueger, Donna Madsen, Joanne Missfeldt, Jo Philps, Joan Reuter, Janet Smith, Barbara Sundt, Joanne Taylor, Phyllis Vohburg, Barbara Walsh, Mary Ann Weidner, Janet May, Joan Schrank.

2nd Soprano: Mary Ann Aspinwall, Ann Banker, Florence Kiehnau, Mary Klement, Mary Klitzkie, Pat Krauss, Doris Nemitz, Mary Sievert, Sue Toussaint, Audrey Wilson, Marlys Eckley.

1st Alto: Shirley Behl, Margaret Goddard, Margaret Knoerr, Mary Knoerr, Charlotte Kutz, Marilyn May, Betsy Myra, Betty Prust, Ruth Schumacher, Naomi Staude, Nancy Theno, Jessie Walters, Mary Wahl, Evelyn Winter, Dorothy Downing.

2nd Alto: Jane Aspinwall, Rosa Lena Bauman, Betty Jane Finger, Margaret Hyde, Irene Van Horn.

Tenors: Robert Guntzburger, James Hensey, Lloyd Klietz, Melvin May, James Zimmerman, James Mahon, Jim Fuller, Dick Smith.

Baritones: Robet Hartman, Joe Jummel, James Justus, Gerald Kutz, Richard Reynolds, John Venning, Joe Walsh.

Basses: Jerry Knoepfel, Richard Romoser, Warren Stannard.

The Choir was represented by a beautiful float in the Homecoming Parade. Dressed in shimmery white gowns with black notes and choir banners, the Queen of Music, Audrey Wilson with her court-of-honor, Nancy Theno, Rosa Lena Bauman, Phyllis Vosburg, and JoAnne Missfeldt as she ruled in a garden bower throne.

On Navy Day, Oct. 29, the Choir presented a stirring, patriotic program before the Senior and Junior High Assemblies.

Keeping in tide with the Christmas spirit, the A Cappella Choir gave a Christmas Concert on Thursday, December 20. Before a background of church-windows and two huge Christmas trees, the Choir in their white surplices, sang, "Lord of Hosts", "Today There is Ringing", "Yule Song", "Good News From Heaven", "White Stars Their Vigils Keep", "Jesu, Priceless Treasure", and "Sevenfold Amen".

The Choir went to Whitewater on May 18, where they competed in the District Contest.

With their maroon gowns, and melodious voices, the A Cappella Choir is Fort High's finest musical organization.

First Row: Shirley Behl, Doreen Ehrke, Janet Smith, Harriet Gross, Marjorie Haferman, Evelyn Winter, Alice Wurtzler.
Second Row: Elaine Finn, Norma Langholff, Beverly Harrison, Sue Toussaint, Dorothy Downing, Betty Kennedy, Rosa Lena Buaman.
Third Row: Ruth Kube, Mary Klemment, Betty Prust, Jessie Walters, Jane Aspinwall, Ruth Schumacher, Betty Jane Finger.
Fourth Row: Charlotte Kutz, Palmera Dillum, Mary Klitzkie, Mary Sievert, Miss Margaret Lea, Mary Aspinwall, Margaret Hyde, Ann Banker, Florence Kiehnau.

GLEE CLUB

The Girl's Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Lea, meets every Monday and Friday morning at 11:00 o'clock, at which time they practice their songs which are presented before the High School assembly and at various public programs throughout the year.

The following numbers before the High School assembly at a Christmas program: "Christmas Bells", "Carol of the Bells", and "Sheep and Lambs".

Many of the members of this year's Glee Club took part in the Whitewater Music Festival last year at which time they won first place.

After the Christmas program, the Glee Club practiced diligently and instead of meeting only once a week, they found themselves practicing twice a week. But they enjoyed it immensely, and their director, Miss Lea, saw them through, deserving high honors for her good work in directing and rehearsing with them so that they might win first place in the Whitewater Music Festival. They sang B class music for their choice in presenting themselves before the public at the concert.

OFFICERS 1945-46

President	Mary Sievert
Vice-President	Jane Aspinwall
Secretary	Betty Kennedy
Treasurer	Ann Banker

FIRST SOPRANO
Rosemary Diedrich, Palmera Dillun, Doreen Ehrke, Elaine Finn, Harriet Gross, Marjorie Haferman, Betty Kennedy, Ruth Kube, Norma Langholff, Pauline Lemke, Janet Smith, Alice Wurtzler, Mary Ann Weidner.

SECOND SOPRANO
Mary Aspinwall, Ann Banker, Florence Kiehnau, Mary Klement, Mary Klitzkie, Mary Sievert, Sue Toussaint, Beverly Harrison, Kathryn Cowles, Margaret Baird.

FIRST ALTO
Shirley Behl, Dorothy Downing, Charlotte Kutz, Betty Prust, Evelyn Winters.

SECOND ALTO
Jane Aspinwall, Rosa Lena Bauman, Betty Finger, Margaret Hyde, Ruth Schumacher.

First Row: Florence Kiehnau, Betty Kennedy, Harriet Gross, Rosa Lena Bauman.
Second Row: Mary Sievert, Ruth Schumacher, Sue Toussaint, Janet Smith, Marjorie Haferman, Mary Klement, Margaret Hyde.

ENSEMBLE

This year's ensemble is composed of twelve members under Miss Lea's direction. First sopranos are Harriet Gross, Betty Kennedy, Marjorie Haferman, and Janet Smith. Second sopranos are Florence Kiehnau, Sue Toussaint, Mary Klement, and Mary Sievert. The altos are Ruth Schumacher, Rosa Lena Bauman, Margaret Hyde, and Betty Finger.

Practices have been held the fourth hour on Friday and at twelve thirty during noon hours.

At the Christmas concert they sang the following numbers:

Hark, how the Bells . . . . . Wilhousky
Hear the Sledges With the Bells . . . . . Jenkins
Cherubic Humn . . . . . Gretchanioff
Lullaby on Christmas Eve . . . . . Christiansen
Virgins Lullaby . . . . . Stairs

During the year they have sung at the Women's Federation and at the Oakland Center Town Hall.

For the contest in May at Whitewater, they sang:

Piping Down the Valley . . . . . Thomas

First Row: Joyce Scott, Sue Toussaint, Margaret Knoer, Mary Knoerr, Rosa Lena Bauman, Agnes Carmichael, Mrs. Donkle, Colleen Cook, Evelyn Winter, Verna Kump.

Second Row: Rosemary Diedrich, Ann Dexheimer, Doris Nemitz, Sue Dickerman, Joan Reuter, Norene Frentzel, Janet Smith, Barbara Sundt, Bernadine Chapman, Audrey Wilson.

Third Row: Dorothy Whitford, Cynthia Weidemann, Margaret Allen, Dorothy Downing, Mary Klement, Carol Liddle, Joan Radtke, Harriet Schroeder, Elaine Schiferl, Mary Lou Schloesser, Kathryn Pautsch, Janet Bethke.

Fourth Row: Mary Sievert, Janet May, Mary Klitzkie, Ann Banker, Mary Aspinwall, Jessie Walters, Gladys Hanson, Margie Henry, Zella Mae West, Deborah Jones, Charlotte Wagenknecht, Maxine Puerner, Margaret Hyde, Donna Ralph.

REDSKINS

The Redskin organization has been very active socially and also taken an effective part in school activities. Early in the year they elected their officers as follows: Rosa Lena Bauman, president; Sue Toussaint, vice-president; Agnes Carmichael, secretary; and Mary and Margaret Knoerr, treasurer. During the year they sponsored several successful dances following football and basketball games. The social highlight of the year was undoubtedly the Redskin formal to which each and every loyal Redskin who could beg, borrow, or steal a man went.

This year's initiation antics, although probably not as severe as those of some preceding years, were some of the funniest yet seen around old F.H.S. The girls were appropriately garbed in feather headresses and long white shirts, but, alas, no warpaint!

The Redskins have certainly earned a reputation for good work this year. They have unstintingly helped sell stamps, managed school drives, pass out iodine pills weekly and attend to a dozen other necessary evils of everyday school life.

First Row: Donna Madsen, Joe Hummel, Mary Wahl, Miss Armstrong, Phyllis Vosburg, Kathleen Splies, Milo Jones.
Second Row: Margaret Goddard, Audrey Wilson, Margie Henry, Betty Jane Finger, Trela Cole, Jessie Walters, Mary Klitzkie, Nancy Theno, Donna Ralph, Carmene Pew, Velgen DuMond, Shirley Sauer, Frances Ward.

PRESS CLUB

This year's Press Club was composed of 25 of the most enthusiastic newshounds ever to hit Fort Hi.

The journalists elected Phyllis Vosburg and Mary Wahl as co-editors. The remainder of the editorial staff consisted of Mary Klitzkie, News Editor; Jessie Walters, Activities Editor; and Norene Frentzel, Social Editor. Miss Armstrong served as faculty adviser.

Mr. Leroy Gore, editor of the Jefferson County Union, conducted journalism classes every Monday. These classes culminated in an observation tour through the press and editorial rooms of the Jefferson County Union.

The product of the club's labors was the Cardinal Bulletin Board, published weekly in the Fort Bargains, and closely followed by members of the community. The reporters learned a great deal about newswriting, editing, and newspaper composition through the efforts of Mr. Gore and their own experiences.

Students soon became accustomed to seeing copy-laden reporters streaking down halls, or to being efficiently approached by the Inquiring Reporter. There was never a dull moment in the lives of the editors, who were constantly on the alert for news sources, and who were usually trailing their reporters the minute before the deadline. There were desperate moments, too—when the stencil ripped, or when a writer was asked to read his hasty composition before the class. The high point of the year came when the class was asked to put out the Jefferson County Union for one day.

The Press Club met weekly as a journalism class. Scholastic credits were given for membership in this class. "Professor" Leroy Gore, of the Jefferson County Union, faithfully and successfully conducted these classes, and climaxed them with an exam. He served as "counsellor-in-chief". The editorial staff consisted of Mary Wahl, Editor-in-chief; Jessie Walters, General News Editor; Velgen DuMond, Organizations Editor; Mary Klitzkie, Feature Editor; Norene Frentzel, Social Editor; Roy Vershure, J., Jr. High Editor; and Barbara Sundt, Art Editor.

MARY WAHL
Editor

MISS ARMSTRONG
Adviser

First Row: Jim Mahon, Betty Jane Finger, Ruth Schumacher, Miss May, Larry Grady, Mary Sievert, Jane Aspinwall.
Second Row: Agnes Carmichael, Margaret Baird, Dick Reynolds, Rosemary Diedrich, Bill Dahms, Janet May, Velgene DuMond.

DEBATE CLUB

The Debate Club under the direction of Miss Lola May, began the year with a series of discussions and debates. The first debate was on the subject of student government. In favor of such a plan were Janet May and Jerry Knoepfel. On the negative were Jane Aspinwall and Betty Finger. The judges decision was in favor of the negative.

Father Benjamin Wood conducted one of the meetings and gave the club an excellent talk on "Debating the Military Training Question".

The next few meetings were devoted to discussing peacetime conscription and organizing teams.

The affirmative teams were:
Janet May and Jane Aspinwall
Jim Mahon and Judson Giese
Mary Sievert and Betty Finger
Velgen DuMond and Noami Staude

The negative teams are:
Anges Carmichael and Larry Grady
Ruth Schumacher and Margaret Baird

Eight members of the Debate Club went to Rockford, Illinois in January to participate in a district debate tournament. The teams won 4 out of 8 debates for a good percentage.

At the regional tournament at Madison in February, four teams won three of their debates. Janet May and Jane Aspinwall, affirmative, won two: Margaret Baird and Ruth Schumacher, negative, won one.

The debaters had a fine season and they enjoyed every minute of every debate.

FORENSICS

In the elimination contests the following students placed. Humorous declamations, Jane Aspinwall, 1st—Jessie Walters and Kathleen Callum, 2nd—and James Mahon, 3rd. In serious, Carol Liddle, 1st—Janet May, 2nd—and Paula Cornish, 3rd. Mary Klitzkie won 1st in reading and Richard Reynolds won first in orations.

First Row: Harlow Lemke, Walter Schroeder, Hobart Merrifield, Allan Koch, Glen Boyer, Omar Hubbard, Vernon Benson, Mr. Ross.
Second Row: Willard Kreklow, Vernon Marrifield, Tom Schroeder, La Verne Amacher, Larry Van Acker, Meske, Donald Meske.
Third Row: James Shaw, Leonard Donehauer, Dean Wendorf, Ronald Gess, Harold Steinke, Donald Gottschalk, Bob Wilde, Ralph Jung.

F. F. A.

This year the F.F.A. proved their worth as potential farmers of America.

The biggest event of the year was the annual plowing contest, which was held at the Hetts' farm, just outside of the city limits. The plowing contest is the climax of the F.F.A. season even though it does come in the fall.

The contest which lasted two days consisted of a horse race, horse-pulling contest, corn husking, milking contest, horse show, and a parade. The husking, milking, race and pulling contests, held on the farm, constituted a very busy day. The noonday meal was prepared by the Home Economics girls under the supervision of Mrs. Donkle.

During the Fall Festival days the down town windows were gaily decorated by the students of the surrounding rural schools with the results of their school projects. The students of the Junior and Senior High decorated the floats for the parade. These students were assigned in pairs, and they worked with the merchants who sponsored the floats.

Not only are the boys good farmers, but they have also won recognition as musicians of worth. The F.F.A. Quartet, this year, consists of Leonard Donehower, first tenor; Phil Hagen, second tenor; Donald Gottschalk, baritone; and Vernon Merrifield, bass. At Oconomowoc these boys took first place and at Columbus they received a fourth place. The boys are under the direction of David Downing.

Each and every member has worked hard this year and they deserve a lot of success next year as well.

N AMONG THE DAISES—
D. CHAPMAN

HI HO SILVER
M. A. ASPINWALL

WAS THIS TRIP NECESSARY?
J. HETH AND H. SCHROEDER

BAREFOOT BOY—
W. WEBER

PARDON ME—
J. MAHON

PRETTY BABY
J. ASPINWALL

WATCH ME GO—
K. BROWN

GLAMOUR GIRL
M. SCHLOESSER

RIMA BALLERINA
D. MILES

MEOW
J. HUMMEL

WATCHING THE FORDS GO BY

"THE AGE OF INNOCENCE"
J. VENNING

ALL DRESSED UP AND N
PLACE TO GO
J. HENSEY

GOLDILOCKS
A. WILSON

LOVE ME, LOVE MY SISTER
PHIL AND HUNSIE HARTEL

ACH—TUNG!
C. LIDDLE

ILL PENSEROSO
D. ANKOMEUS

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ACTIVITIES

Sitting: John Venning, Dorothy Whitford, Vernon Benson, Agnes Carmichael, Cynthia Weidemann, Bob Hartman, Rosemary Diedrich.
Standing: Mary Lou Schloesser, Bill Dahms, Dick Smith, Larry Grcdy, Ann Dexheimer, Janet May, Raymond Ganser, Bill Ganser

CLASS PLAY

The play chosen this year was "Spring Green", a comedy in three acts, under the direction of Misses Laura Graper and Louise Converse. The story centers around the Cassell family, the neighborhood children, and their visitors. Nina Cassell, the mother, is a widow with two children, Scootie, a mischievous ten year old, and Tony, a typical sixteen year old. Grandpa, Mrs. Cassell's father and Genevieve, a neighbor, add much humor to the story.

The boys, Bing and Dunk, mean romance to Tony, Eula, and Pinkie. Major Todd, an old friend of Nina's and his son T. Newton Todd come to make their home with the Cassell's while he is supervising the work on a new army airfield nearby.

After a humorous tangle concerning Spring Green perfume, angleworms who thrive on arsenic, and carnival costumes, everything ends with a smile.

THE CAST: Nina Cassell, Dorothy Whitford; Mrs. Rumble, Rosemary Diedrich; Scootie Cassell, Agnes Carmichael; Mr. Putnam, John Venning; Tony Cassell, Ann Dexheimer; Pinkie Ames, Mary Lu Schloesser; Dunk Doyles, Bob Hartman; Bing Hotchkiss, Bill Dahms; Genevieve Jones, Janet May; Major Todd, Dick Smith; T. Newton Todd, Larry Grady; Eula Hotchkiss, Cynthia Weidemann; Dr. Luther Blodgett, Ray Ganser; Officer Ryan, Bill Ganser; Billy, Vernon Benson; Woman's voice, Mary Ann Aspinwall.

Stage Crew: Bill Ganser, Ray Ganser, James Mepham.

Costume Director: Mary Sievert.

Prompters: Mary Ann Aspinwall, Ruth Schumacher.

HOME ECONOMICS

The Home Economics department has done itself overly proud. They have proved for once and for all that where there is a will there is a way.

The girls have canned a goodly share of the produce of their garden which was planted last spring. The care of the food obtained from it occupied a good deal of time in the early part of the fall. Among the produce canned were tomatoes, carrots, dill pickles, and rhubarb marmalade. Parsley was dried for future use. The faithful few who attended the garden during the summer months got the results of the radish crop while the birds made off with the corn leaving the girls to mournfully collect only two nubbins.

The younger girls of the Freshman class have turned out some fine cooking. They have furnished the food for the two teachers parties and during the Forensic contest here they fed about 150 contestants. They have also prepared and eaten several "brunches", so called because they were breakfasts eaten for lunches at noon and named by the ready wit of their instructor Mrs. Donkle.

The seamstresses of the group gave a fashion show on April 12 called "The Easter Parade" which demonstrated the results of their work in that line. The show featured clothing for a teen-agers spring wardrobe. Special attention was placed on suits and blouses for dress-up and for school and everyday wear. Afternoon prints, date dresses and house dresses were modelled by the girls and received hearty approval by all.

If the smells that have been transmitted to the noses of the school via the ventilating system have been any indication of the cooking then we envy the persons who eat the food. The fashion parade of sewing results and the mouth watering cooking smells certainly are proof of a successful and worthwhile year.

SCHOOL PALS . . .

MRS. CLARK

MR. GANSER

MR. BINKERT

MR. SCHLOESSER

Your Signature, Please

SCHOOL DRIVES

War Stamps

During the year the school has been called on many times to contribute to national drives. In whatever they have been called on to do they have not failed to meet the quotas which have been set for them.

Perhaps the most important activity in this line is the selling of war bonds and stamps. This is a weekly function and has occupied the first period of each Thursday. The stamp sales started on October 4th with Miss Wagner at the head of the program and with a corps of competent salesmen under her.

Miss Wagner has been the head of this program for several years and continued in this capacity this year also. "Distinguished service rendered in behalf of the school savings program." These were the words that were included in a citation from the United States Treasury to the Fort Atkinson City Schools. The credit for this honor should rightfully go to Miss Wagner because without the spark of her determination and her will for the program to succeed it is doubtful if it should have succeeded to the extent that it has.

The total amount of the stamps bought in the 7th War Loan Drive amounted to $215.30. Students and Teachers purchased $3150.00 worth of bonds making the total $3365.30 for the entire year.

March of Dimes

The March of Dimes was carried on in the Fort High Schools during the week of January 28th. The minimum was a dime per student.

Many contributed 5 dimes thereby getting their names on the March of Dimes Honor Roll.

The Senior High students contributed $52.90 while the Junior High students gave $32.40. This total exceeded that of last year.

War Drives

The students also made a good showing in the Russian Relief Clothing drive and in the European Food Drive when they were asked to contribute canned goods to a store of food to be sent to the countries of Europe. The Junior Red Cross Drive was also carried on through the schools as it has been in the past years.

Jin-gle bells! Jin

CALENDER

September 4—Here we are again. We're really going to try to learn something this year.

September 11—Ma Brown got all her girls together for the first time. They elected Ruth Schumacher, Mary Sievert and Margaret Baird as officers.

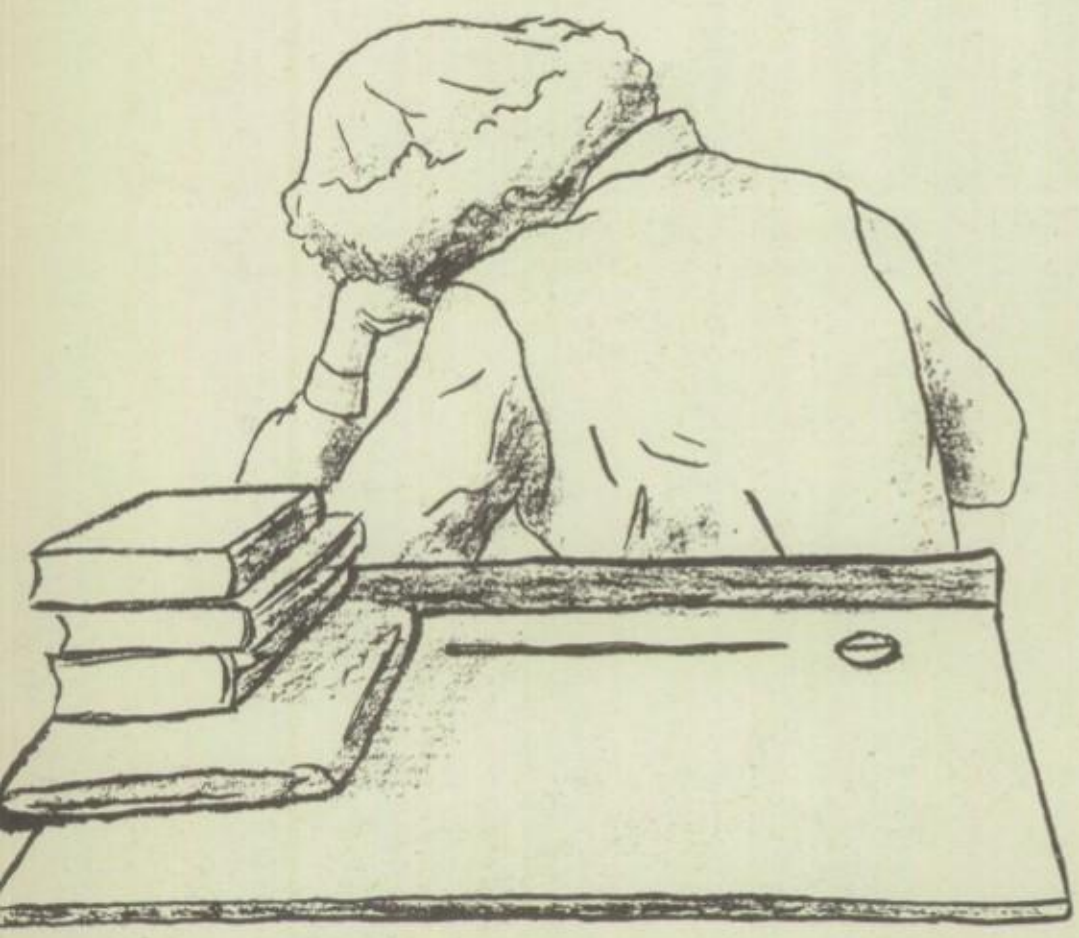
September 16—With La Verne Klietz as president, the Senior Class should really go places.

September 19—The Juniors elected Jim Baird to rule over them as president.

September 20—Yes, the Sophomores had class election too, William Holmes is their new president.

September 20—The teachers and members of the board had a get-to-gether and ate and ate and ate.

September 20—Those debaters elected their officers.



September 21—We really licked Jefferson at the football game. Aren't we proud of that score of 20-7.

September 27—Bert Shurtleff showed us some tactics in wrestling. You better not try to tackle me!!!

September 28—Gee, are we good! We beat Reedsburg 13-7.

September 29—Choir elected Jim Justus as president.

October 1—Mary Sievert is the new President of Glee Club.

October 2—Oh horrors!!! GAA Girls are being royally initiated.

October 4—Miss Wagner started stamp sales.

October 4—Annual elected Ruth Schumacher and Betty Finger as co-editors. They'll do a good job for sure.

October 5—I hate to write this! Monroe conquered us 19-6.

October 8—Father Wood spoke to the debaters.

October 9—What a debate we had in the main room as to whether we have the Homecoming Dance here at school or at the Municipal Building.

October 11—Those Redskins and GAA gals are really busy decorating floats for Fort business men.

October 12—We shine again! We beat Wisconsin High 13-12.

CALENDER

October 18—What a Homecoming Parade good old Fort High put on tonight. Heard loads of compliments.

October 19—What a game! Fort defeated Edgerton 25-6.

October 22—Mr. Johnson gave a very interesting talk on snakes and also produced live specimens. Some girls have more nerve than I have.

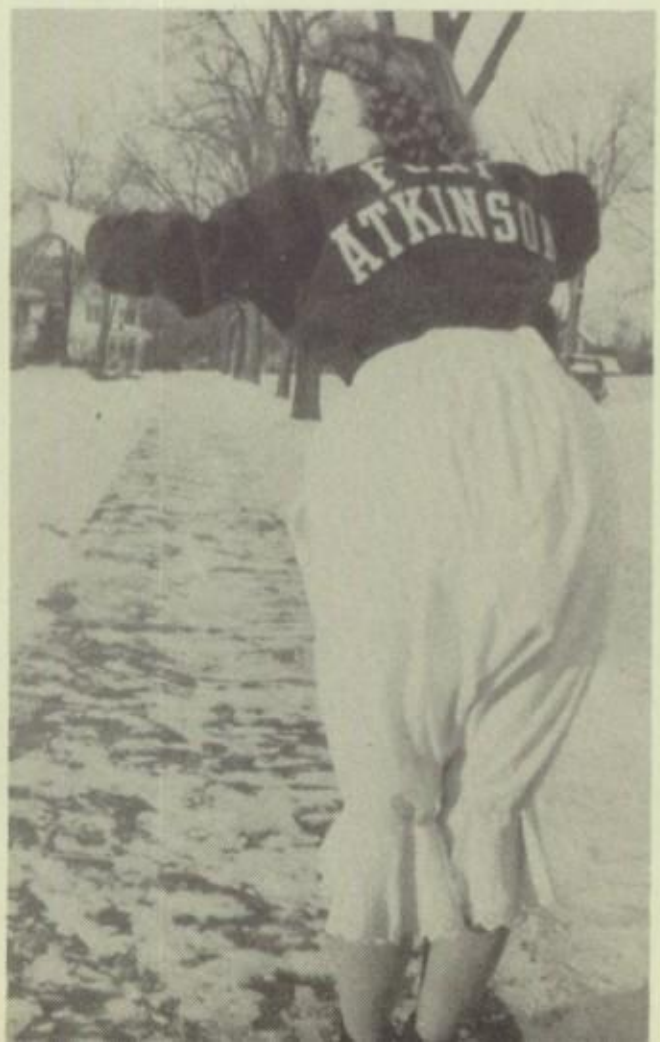
October 22—Did you know we have Indians going to Fort Hi? No—its only those Redskins and their initiation.

October 23—Gordon Day, from Moe Brothers Personnel, talked to us. Now, if we don't make something of our lives we have only ourselves to blame.

October 26—The team went to Wisconsin Dells and lost 20-6.

October 29—Had a wonderful Navy Day program. Ah, yes, it's also Miss May's birthday.

November 1—Press Club took a tour of Hoards Printing Co.



November 2—We beat Stoughton 19-0.

November 2—Boo Hoo!! No school because of teachers convention.

November 4—All the Seniors are flashing around their proofs. Aren't we a good looking class?!

November 5—The Redskins hiked to Foxhill and had their supper there.

November 7—Oh dreadful day—report cards were handed out.

November 5-16—Air raid!!!! F Club initiation. What fools these mortals be.

November 12—National Education Week has begun.

November 19—Now we are officially Seniors —our class rings have arrived.

November 21—Just think we have four whole days of freedom ahead of us—Thanksgiving vacation.

November 31—We lost our first game of basketball here against Baraboo. Well, gee we can't always win.

CALENDER

December 3—The Seniors had a little get-together and voted on Student Council members and who should be the DAR gal.

December 4—A Philippino talked to us about the Philippine Islands and its relations to the outside world.

December 6—Some Seniors haven't made up their minds as to what college they should go to. They have heard representatives from Lawrence and Carrol College.

December 7—Had a real nice Pearl Harbor Day Program. Three cheers for Fort, we played Richland Center and won 27-23.

December 13—The Redskins and Mixed Choruses are as busy as bees getting ready for the Xmas concert.

December 14—Stoughton defeated Fort 36-30.

December 18—Jefferson trimmed us 42-27. What's the matter boys?

December 20—The Mixed Chorus had their Christmas Concert. They did a good job and we're proud of them.

December 21—Ah—two weeks of freedom. See you next year.

January 7—Another year is here again—I sure don't feel any older than I did last year.

January 11—The Seniors and Sophomores took a state test, I wonder if we have any genius in our school.

January 18—Another game lost to Monroe 65-22.

January 22—Watertown beat us 37-25.

January 22—Oh unhappy day—report cards again.

January 25—Wisconsin Dells beat us.

January 28—Three cheers for Fort. We scored a victory over Jefferson 27-25.

January 29—Major Wagner gave us a very interesting talk on his experiences as a parachutist.

January 31—The debate club, which has been slaving away for the past few months, gave a debate in the main room.

CALENDER

February 5—Watertown beat Fort 38-34.

February 6—Another year—another Junior luncheon. Good work Juniors.

February 8—Oh boy! teacher's convention—one day of rest.

February 12—Wisconsin High beat us 35-34. An added attraction was the girls playing basketball.

February 22—Had a Washington and Lincoln program. "Sugar" Schumacher was given the DAR award.

February 25—Representatives from our choir went to Whitewater to sing in a 150 voice choir concert.

March 1—Mr. Howell gave us a very interesting talk on glass blowing.

March 8—The class play cast are really busy learning their parts.

March 11—Declamations presented at Junior High under the directorship of Miss May and Miss Worthheimer.

March 15—The forensic winners went to Watertown.

March 21—Ah, it's spring again. The young man's fancy is turning to love. (Sigh)

March 27—Well, the day has come again to receive those little white cards.

April 5—The class play was a big success. We sure have real talent in our Senior class.

April 12—Our homemaking class put on a style show. It was good, but I still don't see how Finn's suit just costed 20c.

April 20—Have you a date for the Prom yet? What are you going to wear?

May 3—Ginghams, ginghams and here comes the Prom Queen.

May 10—The day has come at last. The girls are all aflutter and the boys are all a-broke.

May 15—The seniors are beginning to realize what the old alma mater means to them.

May 29—We had a memorial day program in front of school.

May 30—No school—but we studied for exams ahem.

June 5—Seniors are practicing for that long march down the Municipal Building.

June 6—Bye Seniors—Sniff, sniff.

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